

# B.C. General Election Called For Oct. 25

House Dissolved;  
Voters' Lists  
Close Sept. 17

British Columbians will vote in a provincial general election Thursday, Oct. 25. Premier John Hart announced today the 20th Parliament had been dissolved and writs for a general election had been issued.

The voters' list will be closed on Sept. 17 and nomination day will be held on Oct. 4.

Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Woodward, on the advice of the executive council, dissolved the Parliament today following the cabinet meeting.

The Provincial Secretary's Department immediately put into motion the necessary legal writs and notices for the calling of the general election.

#### ELECTED IN 1941

The 20th Legislature was elected at polls held Oct. 21, 1941. Life of the parliament could have been extended to Dec. 1, 1946.

The government was a coalition of Liberals and Conservatives, led by Premier Hart and Attorney-General R. L. Maitland. The government will go to the polls as a coalition.

Main opposition to the coalition candidates will be the C.C.F., which will probably name candidates in all the 48 ridings of the province. Secondary opposition to the government, which guided the province through almost four war years, will be Tim Buck's Labor Progressive Party, whose provincial executive has announced would name candidates in 25 ridings.

Beside the odd independent candidate, the Social Credit party will probably have some candidates in the field. Solon Low, national leader of the party, said Social Crediters in B.C. planned as far as possible to contest all 48 constituencies.

#### PREMIER'S STATEMENT

In announcing the dissolution of the Legislature and the election day, Premier Hart said:

"The Coalition administration at all times had endeavored to be a government of action. It had accomplished a great deal, not only on behalf of the citizens of British Columbia, but on behalf of Canada as a whole, inasmuch as the fullest co-operation had been given to the Dominion in its war effort.

"Legislation had been enacted and measures instituted which had improved the social and living standards for the people, enabled special provisions for ex-servicemen in connection with relief from taxation, vocational training, higher education and university courses, land settlement and preferential treatment in connection with civil service vacancies, and done much to develop the province, while at the same time marshalling all our resources in the period of national emergency.

#### COMPLETED PROGRAM

"I feel that we have completed the program we set out for ourselves and now require a mandate from the people to proceed with a development policy which involves the expenditure of large sums of public funds and which are far-reaching in their effort.

"So wide in scope are these plans that I believe it only right that the people should exercise their democratic privilege of voicing their opinion, not only upon the record of the present administration but in endorsing its policy for the future.

"At a later date I propose to enumerate in detail what that policy is but, at the present time, I feel that it is a period of great prosperity for this province and a period in which the government will endeavor, if re-elected, to raise our standards to higher levels."

He continued: "The government has given most serious consideration to the question of the voters' list and the difficulties confronting the taking of a new enumeration have been carefully studied.

"In view of the circumstances, it has been determined that the best method of bringing the voters' list up to date is to establish convenient offices in the cities and various voting districts throughout the province, so that the citizens will, without any great effort, be able to register on the voters' list."

"Deputy registrars of voters will be placed in charge of each office and the government, through the press and radio, will appeal to the people to take the necessary action to enable them to exercise their franchise on election day."

Part standing in the B.C. Legislature at dissolution was: Coalition 30, C.C.F. 15, Independent Liberal 1, Labor 1, to be elected 1.

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# MURDER VERDICT IN SAWDUST BIN DEATH

German Soldiers Return to Russia to Repair War Ravages



Back to Russia, where their efforts will go toward rebuilding cities destroyed by the Nazis, march these members of the German army workers. The French government also plans to use 1,000,000 German prisoners of war for two years in the construction of its devastated cities and lands. Officials believe this would do about half the job.

### Final BULLETINS

#### Knock Out Jap Craft

SYDNEY, Australia (Reuter)—Three Japanese suicide boats in Hongkong harbor attempted to escape when a British naval task force which includes the Canadian anti-aircraft cruiser Prince Robert entered the harbor Thursday, British Pacific Fleet headquarters said today.

They were attacked by carrier aircraft and one was sunk and the other beached. The third returned to the harbor.

#### 50 R.N. Men Coming

CALGARY (CP)—A group of about 50 Royal Navy personnel passed through Calgary today on their way to Vancouver and Victoria, where they will pick up ships to return to England. They came to Canada aboard the Samaria.

#### Riot in Women's Jail

EDMONTON (CP)—Several women inmates of the nearby Fort Saskatchewan Jail started a "mild riot" Thursday and broke several windows on the north side of the building. It was reported today. Cause of the disturbance has not been determined.

#### Commandos Run Wild

WREXHAM, Denbighshire, Wales (CP)—Protesting what they termed a "childish" order of their commanding officer, commandos are being fined to barracks, 300 miles away, for their wayward behavior.

#### Pilotless B-17's Flew

LONDON (AP)—The U.S. 8th Air Force during the closing stages of the European war carried out successful experiments with pilotless, radio-controlled "ghost" bombers which mystified the Germans.

It was a top secret project which can be disclosed today. Old Flying Fortresses that had been retired from combat were loaded with 11 tons of bombs and directed into the heavily-defended German island naval base of Heligoland in the North Sea. A pilot set the course and bailed out while still over land.

One of the bombers got away one day and caused a scare across England, although exactly what happened had to be faked for security reasons at the time.

The plane started out across the North Sea. Something went awry with the controls. It turned and came back across the Midlands and flew over Ireland.

### U.S. Forces Increase Holdings As Jap Surrender Signing Nears

TOKYO (AP)—U.S. Marines took over the Tateyama naval base and air station guarding the mouth of Tokyo Bay today as the occupation forces hourly increased their holdings preparatory to Sunday's (Saturday night, Canadian time) surrender of the Japanese empire.

In contrast to the clear beautiful weather which marked Thursday's airborne landings at Atsugi and the occupation of the Yokosuka naval base, up and across the bay from Tateyama, the marines took possession of the vital naval installation in a driving rainstorm.

Already, while plans for the final surrender ceremonies still were under way, naval occupation forces at Yokosuka had started development of the great base for the use of Allied shipping.

The time for the Sunday ceremony still was not announced and it was uncertain whether Admiral Halsey's flagship Missouri, aboard which the formal capitulation will be made, will remain at its present anchorage several miles off Yokosuka or will move in closer to give the population of the Tokyo-Yokosuka area a close-up look at the 45,000-ton warship.

#### 500,000 TROOPS

The flood-tide of Allied military power rolled in by air in a stream that will continue at least until mid-September, when 500,000 troops will be billeted in this conquered country.

To bolster the first forces of more than 18,000, the U.S. 8th Army under Lt. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger was due to start landing tomorrow at Yokohama and Tateyama, guardian of Tokyo Bay. A new unidentified division was scheduled to land Sunday at Tokyo's Atsugi airfield.

Smoothly Allied forces at the Yokosuka naval base, at the Atsugi field, and at Yokohama linked up and spread throughout an area of more than 200 miles, with more territory to be taken in quickly.

From Tokyo all over the far-reaching East Asia front down to Truk and Indo-China, the Japanese surrender grew without a single reported hitch.

Gen. MacArthur, Allied Supreme Commander for Japan, established his temporary head-

quarters in the new Grand Hotel in Yokohama, Tokyo's port city. Much of the city was in ashes from fire-bombings of past months, but the new Grand stood out untouched amid the ruins.

No immediate march into Tokyo was planned.

#### WATCH FOR TREACHERY

For all the Japanese attitude of submission, the occupation forces were taking no chances of treachery.

"That the precautions were well founded was indicated by Japanese who talked to Associated Press correspondent Russell Brines as he strolled the streets of Tokyo for several hours, unmolested.

Brines said that some fanatical Japanese militarist elements were so determined to continue the war that they had publicly threatened to shoot down the surrender emissaries who flew to Manila to receive Gen. MacArthur's instructions.

These were outwitted by false departure and return times—a ruse of which Gen. MacArthur was apprised and in which he cooperated.

About 1,500 prisoners of war had thus far been freed from prisons in the Tokyo area. All were suffering from horrible malnutrition, and many told of brutal abuse by their Japanese captors.

### New Order Expected to Bring Thousands Seeking Homes Here

With an estimated 3,000 outsiders waiting to take up accommodation in Victoria and several hundred waiting in tourist camps and hotels here for permission to take up residence in homes that they purchased and could not occupy, the removal of the permit system for housing will bring a great influx of new residents to Victoria, a survey today showed.

From today on no more permits or authorizations are being issued by the Emergency Shelter office which has been under D. K. Kennedy, emergency shelter administrator, since its inception Feb. 15. Mr. Kennedy, who is the city building inspector, is slated to return to his city hall job the end of September, as he was only on loan to the emergency shelter authorities by the city.

The work of the emergency shelter office will revert mainly to housing registry activities, and the staff will be drastically curtailed. The housing registry will, however, have authority to compel registration of vacant premises and after a reasonable

### Starving Prisoners Of Japs Tell Of Horrible Treatment

ABOARD U.S.S. ANCON off Yokosuka (AP)—Emaciated and starving, 1,000 more Allied prisoners of war reached this rescue ship today. Some said they had spent months in solitary confinement under constant threat of death.

Thus far 1,494 prisoners have been freed from seven camps. Everyone rescued was suffering from malnutrition, Cmdr. Harold Stassen, former Minnesota Governor, reported, and 80 per cent of them showed "serious deficiencies."

The worst cases were at Shingawa Hospital—"no, don't call it a hospital, call it a hellhole. The filth was indescribable."

A Dr. Gottfried who had been a navy doctor at Guam had been put to work there with pick and shovel—and not allowed to give any professional aid to fellow prisoners, Cmdr. Stassen related.

A few of the prisoners had scarred fingers—evidently the result of Japanese torture.

#### Brig. Moncel Retires

OTTAWA (CP)—Brig. Robert W. Moncel, 28, of Montreal, whose promotion in Aug. 1944, made him the youngest brigadier in the Canadian army, is retiring to civilian life at his own request, defence headquarters announced today.

## Jury Urges Police To Spare No Effort To Track Girl Slayer

### Detectives Seeking Dead Girl's Clothes

Detective Inspector J. H. Rogers said today police are looking for the clothes worn by Phyllis Stroud on the night of her disappearance.

Sought by the police are a flowered print dress, a short grey tweed jacket, a pair of red and white canvas shoes, and a large black purse, 14 to 16 inches long.

### Vance Here to Aid In Murder Case

Inspector J. F. C. B. Vance arrived from Vancouver by boat this afternoon to aid Victoria detectives in finding the slayer of Phyllis Stroud. The Vancouver Police Department analyst was called into the case by Police Chief J. A. McLellan.

Mayor Percy George said he was completely satisfied with the manner in which the investigation of the girl's death was being carried out by the Victoria Police Department under Police Chief McLellan and Detective Inspector J. H. Rogers.

The mayor said that he had given the local department his permission to call in any help they needed from outside forces to ensure a speedy solution of the case. No meeting of the police commission would be called, he said, unless the findings of the coroner's jury made it necessary.

### Suspected Bandit Critically Wounded In Montreal Bank

MONTREAL (CP)—A 19-year-old youth wanted by police in connection with half a dozen bank robberies in Ontario and a department store hold-up here was critically wounded when shot by a bank clerk here today, and police later recovered \$20,000 in stolen bonds found in a satchel in an abandoned car.

The automobile was one in which an accomplice of the wounded youth made his getaway from the bank following the shooting.

Taken to a hospital for an emergency operation to remove a bullet from his back was 19-year-old Joseph Peltier, who had entered the St. Catherine and St. Matthew Streets branch of the Royal Bank of Canada in an attempt to cash stolen bonds in the busy bank in the heart of Montreal.

Police said they believed the man who made a quick departure in an automobile parked outside the bank was 22-year-old Ulysses Laizon, who with Peltier broke out of the Waterloo County jail several days ago while scheduled for hearing on a charge of holding up a bank at Ayr, Ont.

#### HAUL AT AYR

The Ayr holdup resulted in the stealing of \$69,000. The car in which Peltier's accomplice made his getaway was found abandoned later. A satchel in the back seat contained \$20,000 in stolen Victory Bonds.

Also sought by police was 20-year-old Eileen Laizon, wife of Ulysses Laizon, who, with her husband and Peltier, was wanted for questioning in connection with five bank hold-ups in Ontario in addition to that at Ayr, and in connection with the \$17,000 hold-up of the cash room of Ogilvy's department store here last Wednesday.

In circulars issued a short time before today's shooting police described Peltier and Laizon as "vicious and armed to the teeth" and Mrs. Laizon as the probable "brains" of the trio.

A coroner's jury today found that 18-year-old Phyllis Stroud was murdered by some person or persons unknown, and recommended that every available means be employed to find the murderer and that the City Police Department seek assistance from other police departments in the case.

Coroner Dr. E. C. Hart had advised the jury that although there was very little evidence of any kind, it was definite that the girl had not got by herself into the sawdust pile where her body was found.

Dr. D. B. Roxburgh, who performed the autopsy on the body of Phyllis Stroud, was first to testify and said that death was caused by asphyxia, due to strangulation or suffocation.

"Findings in the lungs pointed very strongly to asphyxia, which might be caused by strangulation or suffocation," he said.

#### GIRL FRIEND TESTIFIES

A young friend of the dead girl, Shirley Helles, testified with tears in her eyes that she had last seen Phyllis in town on the night of Aug. 15, when Phyllis had said she was going right home.

Two other young acquaintances testified they had seen the murdered girl getting off the bus at Haultain and Fernwood, two blocks from home, about 11:25 on the night of Aug. 15. Both thought she looked cheerful at the time.

#### CELEBRATING V-J DAY

Extremely pale and subdued, the girl's older sister, Doris, testified in a quiet voice that she had last seen Phyllis alive between 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. on V-J Day, when the younger girl had gone to town to celebrate the victory, taking with her some flags and paper hats. Doris said her sister had not been in the habit of staying out late.

"The basement and furnace are principally our responsibility," she said in answer to a question. She said there were two windows giving access to the basement where the body was found.

"I got home about 11:45," she said in telling of her V-J night activities. "I went to bed about 10 minutes after I got in." Doris added that she had thought her sister must be staying out later because of the celebration. The following morning she telephoned a friend of her sister and her place of employment, and being unable to locate Phyllis, asked for the help of the police.

Lawrence Stroud, an uncle who said he had been staying at the Stroud home at 2658 Roseberry Avenue for a year and a half, testified that he had returned from town with Doris and her father on the street car on the night of Aug. 15.

"If the girl had come in around 11:30 would you have heard her?" he was asked.

"She would have been in the kitchen," he replied. He said the radio had not been turned on.

#### ASLEEP ON TABLE

The father, Carroll E. Stroud, said that he had been in the kitchen, in the upstairs flat of the house which the Strouds occupied, for a few minutes after coming home from town. "I fell asleep with my head on the table. They woke me up and told me to get to bed," he said.

"I'm a sound sleeper, and wouldn't have heard anything," he added.

Questioned about Phyllis's conduct, he said that she had stayed out late quite often.

"She had told me she was 18 and she was going to stay out as late as she liked and if I didn't like it she'd live elsewhere," he testified.

Telling of the discovery of the body in the basement, he said that even when he was in the basement with Detectives Callon and Munro he had not noticed anything unusual until the body was uncovered.

Detective Louis Callon told how on Aug. 27, he had gone in com-

pany with Detective Angus Munro to 2658 Roseberry Avenue and finding nobody at home and the door open, had entered and proceeded into the basement.

"We noticed a sawdust bin," he said. "We searched around for a short time in the sawdust and uncovered the legs and feet of a human being, badly decomposed. We covered them up and upon receiving certain instructions, kept observation on this house until 2 a.m. when we were relieved."

"We returned at 8 a.m. on the 28th and about 8:30 a.m. with Mr. Stroud and his brother we again visited the basement and uncovered the dead body."

Detective Callon said that a slight odor in the basement, the footmarks of a dog and the presence of one or two flies led to the finding of the body.

"You found nothing in the basement that might have been used to cause the girl's death?" Detective Callon was asked.

"Nothing that I could observe that might cause the death as explained," he answered.

He said the body had been buried under about two and a half feet of sawdust, lying face-downward against the front foundation of the house. The only footmarks were those of a dog, he said.

Detective Munro corroborated his evidence.

#### HEARD NO DISTURBANCE

Charles Kinny, 17, who told the jury that he was accompanying the lower flat of the house by himself and was at work from 7 a.m. to 4:30 or 5 p.m., testified that he had come in about 9 p.m. on V-J Day and had stayed in the rest of the evening.

He said he had not seen Phyllis or any other member of the Stroud family later in the evening, nor heard any unusual noise. Young Kinny stated that he had gone to bed about 11:30 or 11:45. "His room was right over the sawdust bin, he said."

He said he had been on friendly terms with both Stroud girls and had been out with Phyllis two or three times.

Donald Stroud, the 20-year-old brother, said he had arrived home about 1 a.m. on Aug. 16, and had last seen his sister about 5:30 the previous evening. Marjory Hollings, Shawinigan Lake, a sister, said that she had seen Phyllis about a month ago and that she had been in her usual health and good spirits at that time.

Ray Stroud, Vernon, appeared at the inquest and volunteered the testimony that Doris had told him on Aug. 6 that her father was having trouble with Phyllis over late hours.

Funeral of the murdered girl will be held Saturday at 2:30 p.m. in St. Luke's churchyard, Cedar Hill, where graveside services will be conducted by Archdeacon H. A. Collison and Rev. F. Pike.

### Soong in Ottawa

OTTAWA (CP)—Premier T. V. Soong of China arrived at the nearby Rockcliffe Air Station in a big R.C.A.F. Dakota transport today for a two-day visit.

The transport brought him from Washington, where he had held conversations with President Truman. Dr. Soong was met by Prime Minister King.

Dr. Liu Shih-shun, Chinese ambassador to Canada, with members of the Embassy Staff, met the Premier.





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## Defendant Scored at Summing Up Stage In Quisling Trial

OSLO (Reuter) — Summing up today for the prosecution in the treason trial of Vidkun Quisling, public prosecutor Annaeus Schjoedt said Quisling had been shown guilty of "the most far-reaching and evil-minded acts of treason in Norwegian history."

He submitted that the evidence showed that Quisling, puppet premier during the German occupation, had collaborated with the Germans both before and after the enemy invasion of Norway. He did nothing, Schjoedt said, to prevent the ill-treatment of the Jews which had shocked the world.

During today's hearing the 58-year-old Quisling frequently interrupted the proceedings, alleging ill-treatment by the Norwegian police while he was in prison. "It would be enough to break the spirit of a lesser man," he said, claiming he had lost weight in jail.

The judge told Quisling prisoners were infinitely worse treated under the occupation.

When the trial was resumed today, the chairman of the court announced that Henrik Bergh, defence counsel, had been taken to a hospital with kidney trouble.

**SUBSTITUTE ACTS**  
In spite of repeated protests from Quisling that only Bergh was sufficiently familiar with the case to defend him, the judges decided that the supreme court advocate, M. Sougnier, should deputize for Bergh at today's hearing, concerned only with the prosecutor's summing up.

Every word was recorded to be passed on to Bergh.

Before the prosecutor's summing up, Sougnier gave an account of a number of protests Quisling wished to make in connection with his indictment.

He said Quisling questioned the right of the government authorities to promulgate provisional decrees or laws while in exile, and complained that the indictment was partly based on such decrees.

Judge Solem said the supreme court had already reached a decision on this point during the trial of the Norwegian Gestapo man, Reidar Haaland, whose appeal on the same grounds was rejected.

Quisling caused considerable amusement by saying the supreme court had made a mistake in its verdict.

## Ignore Freedom of Air Transport Question; Nations' Views Differ

By NORMAN M. MACLEOD

OTTAWA — Prospect of adjournment of the Picao Air Council meeting now in session in Montreal without any agreement upon the really vital problems of international civil aviation is being viewed with some concern by the government here.

It had been hoped that the Montreal meeting would revive the hopes which the Chicago Air Conference had dimmed for the establishment of an over-all international authority in the field of civil aviation. It had been felt, furthermore, that if international agreement could be reached upon so important a project, it would be a most encouraging augury for the future possibilities of economic co-operation by the United Nations in the international economic field.

**FIFTH FREEDOM**  
Now it is realized that the Montreal meeting has achieved no greater progress towards reconciliation of conflicting economic interests than was made at Chicago. Picao promises to emerge from Montreal with full agreement on virtually all purely formal and technical matters, but without any agreement upon the vital questions of controversy in the field of international aviation, such as allocation of routes and frequency of schedules and the so-called Fifth Freedom.

It is the fifth freedom which really is the stumbling block in the way of the creation of an over-all authoritarian body in the realm of international civil aviation. The fifth freedom is the one which permits an air carrier to engage in any international air traffic along the route of one of its trunk lines. For example, a United States air liner flying from New York to Oslo could pick up passengers in Halifax and land them in London.

The United States is determined to have this fifth freedom accepted, and declares that it is essential if small countries, especially in Central and South America, are to be served adequately by air facilities. Great Britain, Canada and the small nations are just as vigorously opposed to it. Their contention is that the superiority of the United States in numbers of planes and standard of equipment would give its air carriers an overwhelming competitive advantage against all other air carriers if the fifth freedom should be adopted.

**IGNORE QUESTION**  
The disagreement over the fifth freedom has not been advertised at the present Montreal meeting. The subject was not placed on the agenda, because of the widespread fear that it would be impossible to secure any agreement upon it. The understanding in government circles here is, however, that an earnest effort was made to bring about informal meeting on this important question, but that failure resulted. The result is that, instead of advertising the disagreement on this vital matter, the Air Council has chosen to ignore it altogether. This decision amounted to an agreement that Picao would lower its sights and, instead of aiming at being a supreme regulatory body over the entire field of international civil aviation, would content itself with being an international body wielding authority in the technical field alone.

This does not mean that Picao is not destined to rank as an important international body. In the field of standardizing weather reporting, radio practices

and minimum airport facilities a major work lies which will contribute substantially to the safety of aviation.

The international aviation authority which is emerging from the Montreal deliberations, however, is agreed to be very far removed from the authoritarian body supreme in all fields which many nations, Canada included, envisaged before the Chicago conference met.

**LOSS IN SHIPYARD**  
Portland, Ore. (AP) — Raked by this city's costliest fire, the war-born Kaiser yard which broke world production records neared the end of its career today in a mass of charred buildings and crumpled Whirley cranes.

The blaze which swept the Oregon Shipbuilding Corporation's outfitting basin Thursday, destroying the dock and adjacent buildings and damaging several completed ships, was unofficially estimated today—pending a survey—at \$3,000,000. The flames were halted just short of the shipways, where three vessels remained to be launched.

The 15,000 employees of the almost legendary shipyard were told not to report today; and officials said outfitting of the damaged ships would be completed in other Portland yards.

Fire investigators were still at work today; but the yard public relations office said the blaze apparently had been caused by a broken acetylene line igniting the wooden dock. The flames roared through nearby buildings and swept over the ship's superstructure, sending workers diving into the water's safety.

Escaping workers reported two fellow-workers had disappeared. Dragging of the basin, however, yielded no bodies; and police said no families had reported workers missing.



Standing at salute during the French National Anthem, are left to right, the French Minister to Canada, Count Jean de Hautouloque, Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King, Governor-General of Canada, the Earl of Athlone and General Charles de Gaulle. In the background are members of de Gaulle staff who accompanied him to Ottawa. After conferences with Canadian leaders Gen. de Gaulle flew back to France and is in Paris today.

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## U.S. Ace Brutally Treated by Japs

ABOARD U.S.S. ANCON off Yokosuka (AP)—Maj. Gregory Boyington, 26, U.S. plane marine ace missing since Jan. 3, 1944, and unheard from until Allied troops occupied Japan, said today his captors had ignored the ankle fracture he suffered in the crash that led to his capture.

"They made me walk on the thing, blindfolded and handcuffed," he said, "and they prodded me along with the butt of a bayonet."

He said the Japanese never announced his capture—and that fellow prisoners reported his

## Intending Students May Get Discharge

OTTAWA (CST)—Naval and air personnel in Canada who plan to attend university or pursue similar educational studies now are eligible for immediate discharge from the Royal Canadian Navy and the R.C.A.F., it was announced today.

A similar policy for the army safety 14 days after Japan had surrendered by placing pieces of wood in the prison yard so that they spelled out: "Pappy Boyington here."

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was announced earlier this week. Air Minister Gibson, who spoke also for Navy Minister Abbott, said personnel desiring release under this provision must make written application to their naval officer in charge or air officer commanding and submit documentary evidence that they have been accepted for enrollment at a university or college.

He added that it has not been found practical to extend this provision to personnel overseas, but those who return in the normal repatriation stream will have their discharge accelerated if they are to attend university or college.

The only exception to the rule governing releases for educational purposes might be in the case of key personnel, but these would be few, if any.

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## Victoria Air Lines License Approved

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W. Sylvester, president of B.C. Air Lines Ltd., said today his company proposed to use the Esquimalt air base recently acquired from Canadian Pacific Air Lines as its operating base for an air taxi service and air school for flight training purposes.

The company plans flying up the west coast of the island to fishing, mining and logging camps, and to run a charter service for fishermen and other sportsmen. Planes at present operated by the company are all-metal aircraft. Others planes have been ordered.

At present, the air line has a base in Vancouver where a flying school is being operated. Planes used are the Luscombe Silvalre aircraft.

A new aircraft, with floats, has been ordered and will be used for instructional purposes at Esquimalt.

The company has signed on two ex-R.C.A.F. men, George Williams, Victoria, and Bill McLeod, Vancouver. Both are transport pilots and instructors. Mr. Sylvester also holds a commercial pilot's license.

Registered offices of the company are at 1001 Douglas Street.

**To Promulgate Findings**  
FARNBOROUGH, Hampshire, Eng. (CP) — Pte. Fernand Dupuis, 26, of Montreal, was acquitted today on charges of arson, riotous damage and improperly participating in a disturbance last May 30. The court's findings on a charge of his taking part in a disturbance May 9, will be promulgated.

Pte. Dupuis is one of 13 soldiers on trial as a result of V.E. Day disturbances at Headley Barracks.

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## Emergency Shelter Regulations Extended to All of Canada

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada's acute housing problem, made critical by a war-shifted population and by thousands of homecoming troops, was taken in hand on a national scale by federal authorities today with announcement that henceforth emergency shelter regulations will extend over the whole country.

Previously federal control had extended only over seven "congested areas" through requirement of emergency shelter organization permits to rent accommodation there. But the Prices Board, in announcing the extension of regulations to all Canada Thursday night, said the housing problem could "no longer be localized to a few centres" and a board spokesman termed the permit system outmoded.

The board announced discontinuance of the system under which newcomers to the seven congested districts — Ottawa, Hull, Quebec, Toronto, Hamilton, Winnipeg, Vancouver and Victoria — required permits from an emergency shelter administrator to rent accommodation there.

### TO NAME OFFICERS

Emergency shelter administrators in those seven areas now will be extended to include the entire board region and emergency shelter officers will be appointed in other regions of the board. All will handle, through Ottawa, requests from civil authorities for use of government buildings as temporary living quarters and see to it that all habitable accommodation is put to use.

The Prices Board's action brought criticism, surprise and some praise from house-harassed civil authorities across the nation who could be reached for comment.

Alderman Charles Jones of Vancouver said the new regulations, "instead of helping the housing situation in Vancouver... appear destined to make matters worse." He believed lifting of the permit system for renting in congested areas would see more people coming to Vancouver.

No comment came from authorities in Winnipeg or other centres where housing is particularly short.

### MAY MOVE NOW

In explaining the regulations, the Prices Board spokesman said it was true that lifting of the permit system would allow people previously prevented from going to one of the seven congested areas, to move there now. But he believed the very fact that no accommodation was available in those areas would act as a brake on any such movement.

The permit system had become outmoded. Permits had had to be issued to returning servicemen, who had a right to go where they wanted, and to displaced war workers who had a right to go back to their old jobs, wherever they happened to be. A survey had shown more permits were being issued than there was accommodation in the congested areas concerned.

He believed more could be done by emergency shelter administrators through seeking conversion of buildings and putting all habitable shelter to use. That was what the new regulations were designed to do.

The announcement said the administrators and officers will:

1. Act as liaison officers for Brig. Colin Campbell, director-general of real estate for the Reconstruction Department, who will handle all requests from municipalities for the use of government buildings for conversion into temporary accommodations.
2. Actively operate to see that all vacant houses in their regions are put to use.

The announcement said that an administrator or officer, on learning of a vacant house, will inquire as to why it is held vacant and endeavor to induce the landlord to rent it or sell it for immediate occupancy.

### MAY BE TAKEN OVER

If the landlord refuses without valid reason, he will be given an order directing him either to sell the building to a purchaser who will occupy it immediately or to rent it within a limited period. If the building is not occupied within the specified period, it will be taken over by the board for rental.

To ensure maximum assistance in providing necessary temporary shelter, the officers and administrators will maintain close touch with municipal authorities, labor unions, the Canadian Legion and other servicemen's organizations.

Board officials said the end of the war in Europe and Japan has made the expansion necessary.

Donald Gordon, board chairman, said housing now was "a national problem and it is doubtful whether there is any city in Canada where family accommodation can be easily found."

In Vancouver Ald. George Buscombe criticized the regulation compelling owners of vacant property to accept tenants or sell. He said such an order runs the risk of upsetting completely private arrangements.

## Edda Held in Italy



COUNTESS CIANO

ROME (AP) — Countess Edda Ciano, daughter of the late Benito Mussolini and widow of Count Galeazzo Ciano, was handed over to the Italian ministry of the interior today by Allied authorities. She had been turned over to Allied authorities Thursday at Chiasso by the Swiss Government.

The Italian ministry of the interior said the countess would be interned on some island near Naples or off Sicily pending final disposition of her case. Neither the Allies nor the Italians have made public any charges against her.

## Canadians Asked to Subscribe Over \$1,500,000,000 in 9th Loan

OTTAWA (CP) — Canadians will be asked to subscribe a minimum of \$1,500,000,000 in the Dominion's 9th and biggest Victory Loan opening Oct. 22, to help cover the costs, not of war, but of rehabilitation and peace.

In announcing the details today, Finance Minister Isley warned that the danger of inflation had not yet passed, and asked Canadians to continue their savings' campaign for another year. The 9th Victory Loan would really be two loans in one, he said, and no new loan would be launched in the spring of 1946, but the sale of War Savings Stamps and Certificates would continue through banks, post offices and various other outlets. He did not indicate if further loans would be floated after that.

### MORE FROM INDIVIDUALS

The Finance Minister said that more than half the total of the 9th loan—\$800,000,000—would be the minimum objective for sales to individuals, an increase of \$125,000,000 over the individual objective for the 8th loan, which ended last May, and which produced a total of \$1,568,927,350 on an objective of \$1,350,000,000. Individuals subscribed \$836,338,200 in that loan.

Canada's borrowing requirements continued to reflect the cost of war and its aftermath, he

said. There was the maintenance and pay of Canada armed forces, the cost of their return to civil life, the need for medical care of the wounded and the support of the occupation forces. All these things were major items in the large goal which had been set for the 9th Victory Loan.

### TOWARD NORMAL LIVING

Then, too, there were various outlays to clean up the war program and "to start us on our way toward normal peace-time living." These needs were the reasons why Canada's borrowing requirements for the next year "will remain at a high level, even though direct war costs have declined with victory in Europe and in the Pacific."

"They are reasons why Canadians are being asked to continue their present savings program for another year."

The minister said plans to win the peace—plans for high employment and prosperity in the days to come—now were being laid. Continued saving over the next year would help these plans succeed.

"War production has come to an end," he said. "Production for civilian use is on the way up. But the supply of new things to buy at current prices is still very much less than the amount of spendable money in the hands of Canadians. As long as this condition remains, there will be upward pressure on prices—pressure which could lead to inflation, then to mass unemployment, misery and hardship."

"Spending increases this pressure. Saving reduces it. So continued saving, by the purchase of 9th Victory Loan bonds, helps to keep the cost of living under control and to maintain the buying power of our money. By helping to maintain stability, it will help us to win the peace."

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## 3 Men Missing After Big Explosion, Fire in Oil Tanker

PORTLAND, Me. (AP)—Three men were reported missing today in a terrific explosion and fire aboard the Norwegian tanker Herbrand which only a few hours earlier had discharged a cargo of 4,529,826 gallons of crude oil.

The blast, which Capt. Kristopher Hoddevik, master of the vessel, said occurred in the No. 1 or No. 2 forward tanks, split the fore deck in two and ripped out a half-dozen plates on the port side of the bow just above the water line. One-half of the deck was blasted upright against the bridge and the other hurled over the side, where it hangs in the water.

Some of the vessel's 42 crew members were ashore when the explosion occurred. Other than the three missing men, none aboard was injured.

The captain said the missing men had been standing on the foredeck, cleaning the empty tanks. He said the fire was controlled in half an hour.

### NOT FAR FROM SHORE

A spark, probably from a dropped piece of metal, was believed to have touched off the blast, but coastguardsmen said they understood the fire occurred when a light bulb broke.

The 10-year-old, 650-foot-long vessel was anchored only a quarter-mile from the eastern promenade, a parkway boulevard at the eastern end of Portland.

Two other big tankers, awaiting their turn to discharge their cargoes at the Portland Pipeline Company, South Portland, which pipes the fuel to Montreal, were anchored several hundred yards away.

Coastguard Cmdr. Frank Lincoln, captain of the port, esti-

mated damage to the vessel at \$100,000.

Anchored near the Herbrand were the fully-laden Canadian tankers Mt. Maxwell Park and Mt. Bruce Park.

The Herbrand had loaded at Puerto la Cruz, Venezuela. The cargo she had discharged was consigned to the British-American Oil Company, Montreal.

The explosion, at 3:15 a.m., E.D.T., sent up a red glare. Coast guard fireboats were quickly sent to the scene.

### 2 Appeal Sentences

VANCOUVER (CP)—Daniel Harrison, sentenced to be hanged Sept. 18 for the murder of Clifford Lemox in an east end Vancouver rooming house May 7, 1944, and William Hainen, sentenced to be hanged for the murder of 23-year-old Olga Hawryluk at English Bay here last May 2, have both appealed their sentences.

It appears unlikely now that the sentences will be carried out on the scheduled dates as the Court of Appeal will not open sittings in Victoria until Sept. 11, and the court may not give its decision until after those dates have passed.

### 1,629 Collaborators Sentenced to Death

PARIS (AP)—More than 1,600 death penalties were handed down in France's purge of collaborators from the liberation to the end of last month, the ministry of justice has announced. The ministry said 25,000 collaborators remain to be examined.

Figures were: 1,629 sentenced to death, 757 to life imprisonment, 5,329 to hard labor for varying terms and 12,209 to various prison terms. National indignity which stripped them of their citizenship rights for varying periods was decreed for 22,137 persons, while 3,564 were released for lack of evidence.

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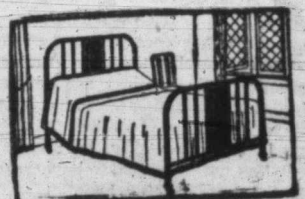
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#### MR. TRUMAN AND LEND-LEASE

ALTHOUGH HE HAS OCCUPIED THE White House for less than five months, President Truman has distinguished himself, and astonished his political friends and foes alike, by the directness with which he approaches highly-controversial problems. His latest is a recommendation to Congress that the lend-lease account against the nation's Allies be written off the books—for three reasons which he considers vastly more important than settlement on a dollars-and-cents basis: First, because this form of aid contributed effectively to the defeat of Germany and Japan; second, because to set against an expenditure by the United States of \$42,000,000,000 a reverse lend-lease account of \$5,600,000,000 as of March 31, 1945; third, because there is a commitment from all nations receiving this form of aid to join in organizing postwar trade on the basis of lowering tariff barriers.

It would be foolish to suppose that the President's report on this weighty subject will be wildly or unanimously acclaimed by either the House of Representatives or the Senate. Some of the lawmakers on Capitol Hill probably will feel like re-echoing the "they-hired-the-money" dictum of the late President Coolidge which the world heard whenever the hardy annual of First Great War debts came up for Congressional discussion. Much has happened since then; the sheer force of circumstances and events has brought about a complete metamorphosis in American thinking; and it is safe to assume that the chief executive's explanatory letter which accompanied his report on the lend-lease account will not be without effect on those members of Congress whose horizons have broadened in the last few years. Mr. Truman crystallized majority view in this passage:

"With the defeat of the Axis powers, whose ruthless plan for world conquest and enslavement came so close to succeeding, the United States has realized the major objective for which lend-lease aid has been extended."

In that one sentence is the epitome of sound reasoning. And the President knows as well as most and perhaps better than many that none of the nations which have received aid—notably Great Britain and Russia—have the financial means with which to settle their lend-lease bills. And Mr. Truman knows, too, that his country, now the wealthiest in the world, must, for the sake of its own economic future, go to the aid of its two principal Allies in their reconstruction programs. In the case of the United Kingdom, of course, the need of elementary succor is urgent. And we may be sure that negotiations now proceeding in Washington will result in an amicable and satisfactory arrangement to take the place of the one just concluded.

#### THE JUG IS FULL

IT WILL BE FERVENTLY HOPED THAT requests by civil authorities for government buildings as temporary living quarters and for full use of all available vacant space will provide accommodation for the Canadians expected here following the Dominion's action in abandoning the Emergency Shelter Administration rental permit system. But there will be many misgivings over the possibility of accomplishing that result. More cannot be poured into a jug which is already full, and the lifting of the permit regulation would appear to be an attempt to accomplish the impossible.

There are, in Victoria, some privately-owned premises which would lend themselves to conversion into multiple family units and which have not yet been so changed. But their number is strictly limited. The volume of appeals which have gone out advocating such a policy has been such that little further conversion can be expected unless compulsion is brought to bear on the owners. So far the federal Emergency Shelter Administration has declined to invade the field of citizen's rights to that extent. There are, also, in Victoria and its environs, some establishments used previously by the forces which conceivably could house incoming families on a temporary basis. But again, shelter authorities here, have made countless appeals to Ottawa to have such structures made available for those in need of more suitable accommodation.

How far the knowledge that accommodation is lacking will act as a brake on those wishing to come to Victoria is a speculation only experience will answer. But the new order, opening the door to all desiring residence, will doubtless add to the complexities of a situation which has been eased only by general co-operation of interests in Victoria and the ability, by means of the regulation now repealed, to prevent the non-essential from coming here.

#### SOMEWHAT METAPHORICAL

HONEST AND CONSTRUCTIVE CRITICISM is welcomed by any government worth its salt. It prevents it becoming careless of the will of the people and keeps it on its toes. But the kind of complaint and fault-finding which emanates from one or two Canadian newspapers is not only an affront to the nation's mass intelligence; it also exposes its authors to the charge of

crass ignorance and political partisanship of the clumsiest type. One of the bitterest and most illogical critics of the newly-elected administration at Ottawa, for example, lets fly with this:

"Generally speaking, Canada has had six years in which to get ready for this moment, that at which reconversion commences to apply across the nation as a whole. . . . If proper plans had been prepared for civilian re-employment, they should be introduced and set moving now. There is a great game of musical chairs to end, because the war dance is over and the music has stopped. . . . Here on the Pacific coast some 60 per cent of this nation's shipbuilding was accomplished during the war. . . . Everyone is growing tired of the stop-and-go method, wherein nothing is definite nor assured. Work begins on a hull and then stops. There are rumors and counter-rumors. Weeks pass, and nothing effective is done. That is drifting. Yet the people of this country are expecting the government to lead. Where are those reconversion timetables?"

The foregoing are extracts from a Tory newspaper which is patently unashamed of its parrot-like denunciation of a government which the people of Canada re-elected to office a month after the defeat of Germany. And what is the basis of its complaint? That Canada "has had six years in which to get ready for this moment," and that "nothing effective is done." It is not our intention to insult an informed public which reads its newspapers and is familiar with the extensive and effective measures already in operation to meet the impact of war's aftermath. Nor is it our intention to try to measure the extent of the comfort which Canada's third party will extract from Conservative newspapers which indulge in such glib and empty generalities that have no foundation in fact.

But if the first part of the comment we have quoted is to be interpreted literally—and we must assume it was intended so to be taken—the King government should have had its reconversion plans all ready for the end of a war which had not then begun. And we must also assume that instead of going all out in our own efforts to help to hold the common enemy back during those fateful years of 1940, 1941, and 1942, we should have been preparing meticulously for specific layoffs in the shipbuilding industry in British Columbia which operated at that time in more or less skeleton form, and of whose destined role in the years that followed nobody had the faintest conception. Small wonder if Mr. Bracken exclaims: "Save me from my friends."

#### ENCOURAGING PROGRESS

CANADIANS GENERALLY WILL FIND satisfaction in the progress reported by the Department of Veterans Affairs in its efforts to assist discharged service personnel toward new opportunities in the world of peace.

According to Mr. W. S. Woods, deputy minister, the governmental machinery for that purpose is operating well and has reached a stage of development which ensures its competency to handle the volume of work that will come before it. Statements in his interview reveal a positive approach to the issue and a widespread appreciation of the service by the men and women whose lives during recent years have been preoccupied by the affairs of war. The understanding of the department's program by those for whom it has been drafted is an augury of success for its application.

It is highly significant that officials expect approximately 30 per cent of the veterans to take either vocational or educational training. That is only one avenue opened to those about to doff the uniform, but it exemplifies their determination to equip themselves as well as possible for the pursuits of peace. If reported advances in production predicated on the application of science to the material sphere of consumer goods are to be exploited, the value of an education which provides knowledge of the processes involved should be of substantial value. That is a factor in the advantages of education for which opportunity is being supplied by the department. It would be futile to expect complete satisfaction with the program which caters to the wishes of more than 1,000,000 in the three services. There are bound to be hitches despite the flexibility the department has brought to its operations. But on the basis of statements by Mr. Woods, early indications offer hopes for success commensurate with the size of the problem.

#### SOUVENIRS OF DEATH

APPEARING WITH DISTURBING FREQUENCY in the recent news have been the reports of tragedies resulting from the explosions of souvenirs brought back from the wars. A somewhat typical instance occurred a few days ago. The explosion of a supposedly harmless bazooka shell killed one boy and injured three others.

Unfortunately, many similar and worse tragedies almost certainly will occur in the months and years to come. Thousands of men will return from the battlefronts. Many of them will bring souvenirs of war with them and some of those relics will be potential sudden death for anyone and everyone who chances to be near them.

The situation will be infinitely worse than the aftermath to the First Great War. As long as 20 years after the end of that struggle, explosions of souvenirs were killing and maiming. Certainly the potential risk is sufficiently great that every individual should take any safeguards necessary to avoid proximity to this sort of danger. There are some who believe it would be wise for the government to require that such things be turned in. Most people should not require compulsion to get rid of this sort of danger—and quickly. They should be anxious to get such things into the hands of the nearest police or someone who knows what to do with them. This is an attitude which should be dictated by the most urgent self-interest—by the realization that it would be the sort of precaution which might save their lives.

#### New Job Theory

By BRUCE HUTCHISON  
RECENT DEVELOPMENTS in Vancouver and Victoria vividly reveal the human problem involved in the conversion of Canadian industry to peace. In the two cities many shipyard and airplane workers are being laid off as a result of the cancellation of war contracts. Now many of them are demanding that the government of Canada shall supply them with jobs. They go further and demand that the government shall supply them with jobs on the warm and agreeable coast of British Columbia.

At a mass meeting in Vancouver, Mr. Harvey Murphy, organizer for the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, apparently expressed the general aspiration of the war workers when he said: "Don't allow yourselves to be chased out of town if you want to live in Vancouver." Here, then, is a new and remarkable theory of Canadian society. The government is not merely asked to assure jobs for all. It is asked to assure them where the worker wants them and under the conditions he wants. This, of course, is impossible under any system of society.

IN THE TOTALITARIAN countries the government has supplied every worker with a job—but not necessarily where he wanted to work. In all these state-controlled countries the worker has worked where the government has decided, as part of its overall state plan, and he has worked at the wages set by the government, under its conditions. He has never been able to demand a job in a certain place, at a certain wage.

Once the worker insists that the government must guarantee him a job then he must inevitably accept the job the government offers, at government-fixed wages and in a place satisfactory to the government. And once the government undertakes to manage our whole economy it will have to move workers here and there, willy-nilly, throughout the country to make good its general plan, to produce the things it wants produced. Then not only those temporarily unemployed but all workers must be prepared to move whenever the government chooses and wherever it chooses. Against such orders there can be no successful protest, since if the government allows any part of its general plan to be sabotaged by unwilling workers it will find its whole plan jeopardized, its whole system undermined.

ON THE VERY day when the war workers of Vancouver were holding a mass meeting to protest against the loss of their shipyard jobs, the labor department at Ottawa was announcing that there were 130,700 jobs vacant in Canada at the end of the Japanese war. Moreover the number of vacant jobs was increasing rapidly. At the same time, for 130,700 jobs only 48,000 applications had been made. There were more than three times as many jobs open as there were willing workers to accept them.

As Mr. Howe said recently, there should be no immediate unemployment problem in Canada. No, there should be none, but, in fact, there is at such places as Vancouver for the obvious reason that discharged war workers will not take the jobs open to them. Close to Vancouver, in the woods, farms and mines of British Columbia, thousands of jobs are open. Mines cannot get the men they need. Farmers are struggling along short-handed. And in Vancouver a large pocket of unemployment is threatening to develop. It will certainly continue to develop if the workers insist that they must have jobs immediately in Vancouver and at wartime wages.

WE DO NOT BELIEVE that the working people of Canada generally are stupid enough to believe that they can have jobs wherever they choose and at the wages they choose at all times. They will certainly and quite properly seek the jobs they prefer in the places they like and doubtless many people who have moved to the Pacific coast during the war will stay permanently as industry develops and the great natural resources of British Columbia are exploited. But in the end whatever form of government we maintain in Canada, however far the state reaches into the control of our lives, people will have to go where jobs are, where work is to be done, where materials are to be extracted from the earth and manufactured.

In the end also they will have to accept the wages—whether they are disguised by higher prices or not—which our economy by its nature, by the cost of making goods, can produce and no more.

THERE IS NO WAY around this and never has been in any country at any time under any social system. The income and the living standard of the worker—already higher in Canada than in any country but the United States—will rise only as production rises and the cost of production decreases through improved efficiency. And the production of Canada will surely rise only as we develop our natural wealth where nature has put it with the lowest possible cost.

#### ANOTHER USE

A British physician, Dr. C. T. Graves, medical superintendent of the Robert Hill, Birmingham, Mental Hospital, reported at a London meeting of the Mental Hospitals' Association on the successful application of penicillin in mental diseases. By means of penicillin injections, prepared by him at the hospital laboratory, he has been able to cure five out of seven patients completely, and to obtain a definite improvement in the condition of the remaining two. "Penicillin is not, perhaps, a complete cure for all mental diseases," said Dr. Graves, "but its use in the future will restore the health of thousands of people whose mental equilibrium has been disturbed owing to infectious diseases."

#### Letters To The Editor

##### ALSO RECOMMENDS MEDALS

I am fully in accord with the views expressed by Mr. Davies followed by Mr. H. H. Smith in recent issues of the Times advocating the awarding of a medal or some other form of recognition by Ottawa for services voluntarily, and so worthily rendered by the Reserve army, in doing their part in the defence of our homeland.

I would therefore suggest on behalf of these men, and in return for meritorious services, some fitting visible recognition. Perhaps Mr. Mayhew, our member of the House of Commons, will take this matter up at the forthcoming session of Parliament at Ottawa.

L. H. G. BENGOUGH

120 Burnside Road,

##### MATTER OF OPINION

Isn't your editorial "Balloons Were a Flop" which appeared in the Times of August 27 just a little too naive even for good Victorians to stomach?

However, at least one of your readers would be interested in the process of rationation whereby you reached the astounding conclusion that use of the balloon bomb was "infinitely more barbaric" than the atomic bomb.

Ignoring the ethics of bombing, one can only assume that by some queer biological synthesis the six young children's lives lost in Oregon by balloon bombs are of far greater importance in your estimation than the hundreds of thousands of Japanese civilians "obliterated" at Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

The dictionary defines barbarism as "savage life." As such, it can be understood and appreciated, even though considered as "shocking" to civilized minds. On the other hand, harnessing the atom for purposes of the mass annihilation of human beings not only stupefies the imagination by its sheer ruthlessness, but creates an entirely new set of values—ones as far-reaching as the bomb itself. No one understands their full implication as yet; time alone will determine that.

H. H. HARPER

723 Yates St.  
EDITOR'S NOTE: Not naive at all: the atomic bombs were used in precision attacks on a ruthless enemy. The balloons were sent against Canadians and Americans at random. Six innocent children met death in consequence. And the Japs were warned in advance. Our opinion stands.

##### EMPLOYMENT AND LAYOFFS

I hope you will allow me space in your publication so that I may correct an impression created when a remark I made at the public meeting held by laid off war workers in Athletic Park, Vancouver, on Sunday, Aug. 19, was quoted by some reporters incompletely. I did advise workers not to leave the city until they knew definitely where they were going and what wages and accommodations they would receive. Unfortunately, however, the latter portion of my remark was not quoted in some instances, leaving an entirely wrong impression of the content of the remark.

Certainly the mining industry is suffering from a great shortage of manpower and has been for years, and while I am advised that over 3,000 workers could be placed, this will take time. The mines do not require that many men now unless they can obtain development miners and bring their properties into shape so they can give employment. It is doubtful whether very many can be employed immediately. With the sudden ending of war, the rapid cancellation of war orders in the shipbuilding, aircraft and associated plants resulting in the layoff of over 5,000 workers at one blow with seven days' notice brought about a condition of disorganization and confusion. It was our contention that these workmen, having been brought from all over Canada, most of them having established their homes and families here, should not suddenly be thrown out into the streets without being given an opportunity to obtain employment and to adjust their affairs.

It is not unemployment, but reconversion, that we face at the present time, and what is needed is an orderly transfer of men and women from war industries to peacetime industries. Those workers were not permitted to make any arrangements even though they knew that the war would soon end. They were frozen to the job.

Organized labor is fearful that certain unscrupulous employers have utilized the situation to break down and lower wages and working conditions in an endeavor to repeat their actions after the last war, when they utilized the closing down of war industries and the release of men from the armed services to break down trade unions and cut wages.

That is why we are leaving no stone unturned to prevent mass layoffs now, until governmental policies are announced which will alleviate the hardships that would otherwise result.

HARVEY MURPHY.  
International Representative of International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, 717 Holden Building, Vancouver, B.C.

#### THE INTERNATIONAL SCENE

##### BY DEWITT MACKENZIE

As Gen. MacArthur says, "It has been a long, hard road but this looks like the pay-off."

That is, it's the military payoff, marking Allied victory at arms in the closing phase of the war. The Supreme Commander didn't say this is the end of the road. It's very far from the end, for the highway leading to real peace winds far away beyond the horizon. We must make the Japs not only peaceable but peace-minded.

"The Japs," Gen. MacArthur states, "seem to be offering us complete good faith and there is every hope for success in the capitulation and that it will continue without friction and without unnecessary bloodshed."

And Admiral Nimitz, also observing the peacefulness of the landings in Tokyo Bay, remarks: "I think it was because of the Emperor."

The emperor of course acts on

the advice of his government. Why are he and his ministers "offering us complete good faith?" without meaning to be cynical or uncharitable? I think it's because Japan "has" been beaten to a pulp. I don't believe you can change the mental outlook of a country overnight, and for that reason the war-minded Japs aren't being good because they want to be good but because they have to.

The Japanese remain the same primitive people who believe that might is right, and on that basis admit the Allies are right. When you read the stories of brutality and torture coming out of the prison camps where our men have been held, you realize the leopard hasn't changed his spots. The Jap is still the creature who is equally ready to strangle his prisoners by the neck and then beat them, or to stick a knife into his own bowels and commit hara-kiri.

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However, that's the dark side of the picture, for while the Japs haven't yet changed his nature, we know human nature is susceptible to change. Hitler demonstrated that by turning a considerable portion of the German population into gangsters in a few years of intensive propaganda. If he had been a man instead of a beast, he could have made his country one of the leaders in peace and good will.

So the nature of the Japanese can be changed, but the task will be tremendous because of the very fact that they are a primitive folk. If it could be done by force it would be easy. But use of the big stick wouldn't turn the trick, for the effect would remain only so long as they still smarted from the hiding. The change must be achieved by education.



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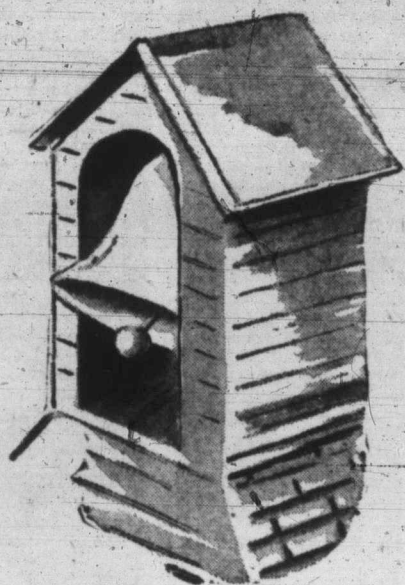
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**Club Calendar**

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Commencing Wednesday with a parade through the streets of downtown Victoria, followed by tea aboard H.M.C.S. Uganda and dinner in their own restaurant quarters at Esquimalt, served to the ratings by Lt.-Cmdr. Nora Allen, unit officer in command, and her fellow officers and ending with the dance, these celebrations make a fitting close to three years of service and will long be remembered by the Wrens if, as they believe, it is the last celebration they will participate in as a unit before their return to civilian life.

Navy blue was the predominant color at the dance, as Wrens in uniform and their naval escorts danced to the music of two of Victoria's most popular orchestras. In the supper room a three-tier birthday cake, surmounted by three red candles was the center of attraction.

During the evening, Capt. C. D. Donald, C.B., N.O.I.C., Esquimalt, spoke briefly and expressed pleasure in the smart appearance of the Wrens in the previous day's parade. "I'm proud of you," he said.

Lt.-Cmdr. Nora Allen, also

voiced the thanks of the whole unit for kindness shown by the citizens of Victoria and the pleasure the Wrens found in being stationed in Victoria, "a city of sunshine and flowers."

Mrs. C. D. Donald had the honor of cutting the birthday cake. With Lt.-Cmdr. Allen were the following Wren officers:

Lt. E. Peacock, Lieut. J. Bruce, Lieut. M. Briscoe, Lieut. D. Bruce, Lieut. A. Innes, Lieut. McLeod, Lieut. Porter and Lieut. Cassidy.

Mrs. C. D. Donald cuts the Wrens' birthday cake with the sword of Cmdr. R. Jackson, R.C.N.R., while her husband Capt. C. D. Donald, C.B., N.O.I.C., Esquimalt and Lt.-Cmdr. Nora Allen, unit officer in command at Moresby House look on. A group of Wrens wait anxiously to see who will receive the first piece.

—R.C.N. Photos.

A few of the Wrens and their lads who danced at the Crystal Garden Thursday during their birthday celebrations. In the foreground, Ldg. Wren Iris Drew, 1218 McKenzie Street, smiles happily.

motif as mementos from the assembled members.

The secretary reported on the disposal of supplies. Canned goods, blankets and other useful articles were divided among the Coast Mission, United Church Mission and the Solarium. A new local Boy-Scout group received medical supplies. The treasurer reported \$11 had also been do-

nated to the Solarium. Others who spoke during the evening were Herbert Stokes and David Candler.

Refreshments were served. Those assisting the hosts were: Mesdames G. W. Pettit, S. L. Butcher, H. Smallshaw, P. Ryan, D. Candler, B. Quick, A. P. Hobbs, Misses Molly Footner, P. Butcher and L. Williamson.

Representatives of Victoria High Schools who attended the Hi-Y presidents training conference at Capilano last week were the Misses Dorothy Willis and Kay Firth of Victoria High; Eileen Watkins and Margaret Cameron of Mount View, Saanich; Ruby Parham, Mount Douglas and Joyce Empey of Esquimalt High. During the week committees were formed and various questions discussed including administration work and youth programs for Hi-Y work during the coming season that will combine the interests of young people in high schools and in the various Y.W.C.A. groups.

Guest speakers at the conference included outstanding men and women connected with educational programs in Vancouver.

More than 30 members of the Royal Oak Civil Defence Organization, including wardens, past wardens and first aid workers, gathered Wednesday at the home of Miss A. Goodhue, West Saanich Road, Royal Oak, in a final get-together and farewell party.

Col. Gerald Scott, D.S.O., the first chief warden, and S. L. Butcher, who followed him spoke during the evening, thanking everyone who had rallied to the post when there was danger on this coast. A special vote of thanks was tendered Miss Goodhue for the use of her basement, used as a small practice hospital since 1942. Mrs. A. P. Hobbs, secretary, presented Mrs. G. W. Pettit, the president, and Miss Goodhue with corsage bouquets of carnations and small English china brooches in the flower

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High School Girls At Hi-Y Conference

Civil Defence Workers Hold Farewell Party

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## Personals

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Mrs. J. Barnes, 808 South Intervale Street, entertained with a miscellaneous shower to honor Miss Doreen Toms, whose marriage will take place next week. The guests were Mesdames F. F. Toms, Harper, Cuthbert, E. Olsen, D. R. McLennan, McLachlan, E. Bergstrom, Walker, Edmonds and the Misses S. Harper, J. Knowles, Grace Squire and Peggy McVie.

On the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bull, 512 Catherine Street, were at home to friends Tuesday evening. Mrs. G. Cameron, their elder daughter, was hostess, while Mrs. C. Bains and Miss L. Erikson assisted in serving refreshments. During the evening, games and music were enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Bull were married on August 28, 1920, in Idaho. Other children are Miss Doreen Bull at home and Mr. Edgar Bull.

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## Dorothy Dix

**PRAISES SAVE MARRIAGES**

If we knew a rich man who forced his wife to go about in shabby clothes without even a decent coat to keep her warm, or if we knew a woman who had a cupboard full of angel's food who refused to give her husband so much as a crumb of it we would think that they were the meanest people in the world, or else that they were mental cases.

Yet that is practically the way that millions of men and women treat their wives and husbands when they fail to give them any sign of the affection and appreciation they really feel for them. And this, more than any other one thing, is the reason that so many marriages are failures, why there are so many peevish, fretful, nagging wives, and why so many husbands philander.

For the thing that we all crave more than anything else is the assurance that we are beloved and admired by our mates, and that to them we never grow old, nor stuffy, nor commonplace, but are always the young and gay and glamorous boys and girls they married.

**CHOOSE THE BEST**

Strangely enough, and far oftener than we realize, the great majority of husbands and wives are filled with affection and admiration for each other, and think they got the pick of the lot when they chose their Johns and Marys. All of us know plenty of men who are tickled pink when their wives are elected presidents of their clubs, and who are always bragging about what good cooks and housekeepers their wives are, and half the women we know begin every sentence with, "John says," as if an oracle had spoken and settled the subject.

But these men and women, who so admire their husbands and wives, and who are so fond of them, would die before they would tell them so. Wild horses couldn't drag a compliment out of them. Many a man, who secretly believes his middle-aged, fat spouse to be more beautiful than Lana Turner, only grunts and asks where she got that fool thing on her head when his wife fishes for a word of praise by showing him her new hat. Many a wife, who believes her husband infallible, is always twitting him about some little fault, and making him believe that she thinks him a moron.

It is a tragic and pathetic thing that the whole happiness of a marriage can depend upon a word that two people are too dumb to utter. For as long as a husband and wife sing each other's praises there is harmony in a home. It is only when they maintain a awful silence about each other's virtues and harp upon each other's shortcomings that they get upon each other's nerves.

Why husbands and wives are so stingy with their expressions of affection and praise to each other, is a mystery past finding out, since they are bound to know, if they have human intelligence, that nothing makes domestic life run so smoothly as the liberal use of soft soap. Yet a man will give his wife a \$2,000 mink coat that will not warm her heart as much as a single word of love-making would do, and a wife will drive her husband to the other woman for the flattery he is starving for and that she never gives him.

When compliments are so cheap, isn't it strange that we are so niggardly with them?

## Celebrate 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Lenfesty, 126 Douglas Street, were "at home" to their many friends, on Wednesday from 3 to 6, and again from 8 till 10, on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary.

White and silver was the motif in the dining-room, where a table, covered with a white cutwork cloth, was centred with a low silver bowl filled with white gladioli, pyrethrums and delphiniums, flanked with tall silver candle-holders and slender white tapers. Vases of white gladioli completed the effect. A wedding cake, made by Mrs. Jim Clegg and iced by Mrs. S. Wise, two very old friends, was on a smaller table.

Presiding at the tea urns in the afternoon were Mrs. H. M. Locke and Mrs. L. H. Grant, assisted by Misses Barbara Meldrum, Vivian Young, and Lillian Houlihan. In the evening, Mrs. H. Lecht of Alameda, Calif., a cousin of Mr. Lenfesty, and Mrs. W. E. W. Oliver of Sidney, V.I., presided, assisted by the Misses N. Richards, E. Richards and Faith McMeekin.

Mrs. H. M. Sallaway, also a cousin of Mr. Lenfesty, received the guests at the door. Miss Carol Ann Graham was in charge of the guest book. Mrs. Charles Steele, another old friend, arranged all the floral decorations. Others assisting the hostess were Mrs. Andrew Paton and Mrs. Lloyd Sallaway. Mrs. N. E. Hawes gave a recitation.

In the living-room, where Mr. and Mrs. Lenfesty received their guests, baskets of bright colored gladioli and other summer flowers made a perfect background for the royal blue frock Mrs. Lenfesty wore in the afternoon and the long black formal gown she donned for the evening. She carried a colonial bouquet of rose-

buds, carnations and violas, one of the many floral gifts received. Gifts, telegrams and letter greetings were also received, including best wishes from their son, Sgt. Jack Lenfesty, who at present is at Fort Benning, Ga.

A toast to the continued health and happiness of the bride and groom of 25 years ago was proposed by W. E. W. Oliver and fittingly responded to by Mr. Lenfesty.

Guests included Mrs. D. J. Jenkins of Nanaimo. Among others who came during the day were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Temple, who two years ago, celebrated their own 62nd wedding anniversary.

Those who signed the guest book were: Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hasenfratz, Mr. and Mrs. James Clegg, Lottie H. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. A. Paton, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Sallaway, Carol Ann Graham, Mrs. E. J. Laver, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dieks, F. A. Gowen, Lillian Houlihan, Florence Kitching, Ivy Lumsden, Mrs. D. Clark, Mrs. Hettie M. Locke, Vivian Young, Barbara Meldrum, Becky Hawes, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Temple, Elizabeth Forbes, Agnes Phipps, Gloria McLeod, Sandra McLeod, Mary McLeod, Clara Mulcahy, Florence Poulton, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. F. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Sallaway, Mr. and Mrs. McAllister, Sheila McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. McLeod, Mrs. B. C. Pettingell, Norma Richards, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Jenkins, Nanaimo; Mrs. Herma Lecht, Alameda, Calif.; Elsie B. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. W. Oliver, Jessie Wilson, Ivy Baines, Dorothy Wood, Isobel Hood, Mr. and Mrs. T. Nute, Kitty Davis, Anne Nairne, Mrs. Jane, Mrs. Dick Green, Mrs. Marjorie Graham, Mrs. J. Small, Mr. and Mrs. E. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. H.

## Doreen Browning Becomes Bride

A low-waisted gown of em-bossed white taffeta featuring a full net skirt with a hand-embroidered French net veil cascading from a sweetheart head-dress, was the choice of Doreen Browning for her marriage Wednesday evening in Central Baptist Church to Ernest Atherton, R.C.N.V.R.

Rev. W. L. McKay of Emmanuel Baptist Church read the rites for the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Browning, 3151 Carman Street, and the son of Mrs. M. Atherton, 1900 Townley Avenue. Mr. Phillips played the wedding music and Miss Vera Parfitt sang "I'll Walk Beside You."

The bride carried a round bouquet of pink rosebuds, carnations and sweet peas. She was given in marriage by her father and attended by her sister, Mrs. K. McCrindle, wearing a gown of turquoise blue sheer with matching Dolly Varden hat, and Miss Daphne Gill, frocked in pale pink figured sheer over rose taffeta. Both carried sheafs of larkspur, carnations and heather.

Groomsman was Bob Ellis, R.C.N.V.R., and ushering were Cranston Browning and Bert Atherton.

Mothers of the couple received many guests at a reception held at the home of the bride's parents. Leaving for a honeymoon at Shawanigan Lake, the bride wore a suit of dusty rose wool, British tan accessories, blue furred topcoat and a corsage bouquet of gardenias.

Mr. and Mrs. Atherton will reside in Victoria.

Cathcart, Alyce Brown, May Croft, Mr. and Mrs. R. Sangster, A. A. Campbell and W. H. Bailey.

## Many Organizations Pay Last Respects To Mrs. L. A. Genge

Many members of pioneer families of Victoria and representatives of women's organizations in the city attended the funeral Thursday afternoon in B.C. Funeral Parlors, of Mrs. Gertrude Alice Genge, wife of Lawrence A. Genge, 334 Vancouver Street. The late Mrs. Genge was the daughter of the late P. P. Rithet, builder of Rithet's wharves in the outer harbor.

There were many beautiful floral tributes and the standards of Municipal Chapter and Gonzales Chapter of the I.O.D.E., were placed at either end of the casket.

Greatly interested in the work of the Imperial Daughters of the Empire, Mrs. Genge held the position of honorary vice-regent of the Gonzales Chapter at the time of her death and was also Girl Guide convener in Municipal Chapter. She was at one time regent of Municipal Chapter and held life memberships in Primary, Municipal, Provincial and National Chapters.

Representing the I.O.D.E. were

Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps, regent of Municipal Chapter; Mrs. W. C. Nichol, regent of Gonzales Chapter, and a large number of fellow members; Mrs. W. Curtis Sampson, honorary regent of Gonzales Chapter; Mrs. J. L. Ford of Navy League Chapter; Mrs. P. E. Corby, second vice-president of Provincial I.O.D.E.

**GUIDERS ATTEND**

Mrs. Genge had been connected with the Guides from their organization in Victoria in 1915 and representing the association were Mrs. Alan Morkill, deputy provincial commissioner; Miss Hilda Leighton, deputy provincial secretary; Mrs. Cuthbert Holmes, divisional commissioner; Mrs. Keith McDougall, east district commissioner, and many lay members of the Guides.

A representative from Fairbridge Farm School, a special interest of Mrs. Genge, was present at the funeral.

Mrs. Genge was a member of the Navy League of Canada and, as president of the women's committee, took part in the establishment of Prince Robert House here. Mrs. T. Johnson attended the funeral on behalf of the Navy League.

She is survived by her husband and one son, James Robert Genge, of Victoria. Dean Spencer H. Elliott officiated at the service and cremation took place at Royal Oak Crematorium.

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## Victoria Paratrooper Married in England

At Capel Wesley, Ferndale, Eng., on June 16, the wedding took place of Nellie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Jenkins, and Pte. Donald Wardell of Victoria, a paratrooper in the Canadian army. Rev. John Williams officiated at the ceremony and Gwyn Lord played the organ music.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a blue two-piece suit, navy blue accessories and carried an arm bouquet of pink carnations. Her two sisters, Misses Gwyneth and Joan Jenkins, were the bridesmaids, gowned alike in pink frocks with matching headpieces and with arm bouquets of red carnations. Emlyn Jones, brother-in-law of the bride, was best man.

As the young couple left the

church after the ceremony, they were presented with a "lucky horseshoe" by Master Brian Jones.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Wardell spent their honeymoon in Sussex.

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## Cecil Solly Says:

The surrender of Japan will not mean a sudden "plenty" for it will take many months to make the adjustment on this continent, let alone in the European countries, so let us still plan to provide the perishable fruits in our own gardens. The shortages this summer may very easily exist next season too, for there are destitute millions to serve and our canned goods reserves are low. Of the early summer fruit, strawberries are perhaps most desirable and many gardeners have written asking about starting new beds or enlarging their present one. Here are some important notes to be checked before starting to work.

In this column last June I discussed how to handle the newly-formed runners and runner plants. This is the way to get your plants for this "August-early-September" planting. These runner plants, if set out now, will produce a good crop for the next three years, when they will be ready to replace.

The soil in the strawberry bed should not be new, especially if it has grown heavy with grass and weeds. A part of the flower or vegetable garden is best, where the soil has been continuously cultivated and fed for several seasons. Although they should not go directly under trees or shrubs, if they have some shade from direct, hot afternoon sun they will do best.

**DIE FROM 'WET FEET'**  
Good drainage is very important. It must be good enough so that water does not stand in puddles after a rain for any period of time. You will note that most commercial fields are on sloping ground for this purpose. Strawberries will die out very rapidly from "wet feet" during the winter time.

This early planting time is best for the home gardener, because the plants have an opportunity to send out new roots before they are buffeted about by winter weather. If these new roots are not established, frost will easily heave the whole plant up out of the ground, leaving roots exposed to the cold, killing air. Always go over your garden after a heavy frost and tread the plants back down into the ground, firmly. The better the drainage, the earlier the planting, the less harm from frost.

Soil preparation must be complete and thorough. To begin with, it must be good earth, dark in color, rich in humus and quite sandy. The sand is absolutely necessary to enable the plants to penetrate deeply and easily into the soil. If these ingredients have to be prepared, be sure they are thoroughly mixed and stirred and "aired" before planting.

The rows for the home garden should be 24 to 30 inches apart, and the plants themselves about 15 to 18 inches apart. Don't crowd the plants if you want the maximum crop. The "matted rows" of the commercial growers are not for the amateur gardeners. We can weed and cultivate the plants individually and get a larger crop.

**USE FIRST RUNNER**  
To prepare the plants, cut off the runners from the mother plants. Use only the first rooted runner if you want the best results. Give the whole bed a soaking. If the soil has dried out between early fall rains. The next day, dig up each plant, taking as much soil as possible. Plant them in the prepared holes immediately, firming the soil around them, being careful not to "ball" the roots.

Now they are ready for a treatment called "puddling." It is absolutely necessary to prevent the infestation of the strawberry weevil grub which feeds on the plant roots during the winter. Through some provision of nature, this grub does not entirely

destroy the plant, but is responsible for weakening it so that it is an easy prey for disease. Any plant so deprived of most of its roots by the weevil grub does not have sufficient strength to ward off trouble such as fruit rot, leaves shriveling and turning brown or red.

This "puddling" is done at planting time for best protection. There are two very effective solutions. You can use a part Volck to 50 parts of water and use a full cupful to each plant, or use 1 tablespoon of Lysol to 1 gallon of water and use it in the same manner.

About Oct. 1 the plants should have made new root growth. It would be good to scatter some well-balanced plant food along each side of the row, and carefully cultivate it in. Don't stir too close to the plants for the new roots will be near the surface.

Watch the growth above ground for several months after planting. If the leaves are rank and dark green you will know the crop of berries next year will be very good and that the plant is "happy." If, on the other hand, the foliage is not large and thrifty, something is wrong either with the food or moisture, or both, and something should be done about it this fall while there is still time.

**PRUNING SMALL FRUITS**  
The correct pruning of gooseberries and currants this time of year is very important to the future crop. If you will look at the crown of the bushes, near the ground, you will find the new summer branches. These are the ones which will produce the best fruit next season, and usually grow three to four feet high. Pruning should be done as soon after the fruit is picked, as convenient. Remove all the branches that have borne fruit. This sends all the strength into the new wood and fully ripens it before winter sets in. Always burn all the prunings.

The fall crop of raspberries is just now coming on. If the fall rains come early I doubt if this second crop is worth keeping, unless you have the two varieties for fall, St. Regis and Indian Summer. The fruit is not apt to fully mature in sweetness, and is often crumbly. So if the berries are not well formed and signs of ripening are not apparent, cut all the canes that have fruited, down to the crown of the plant.

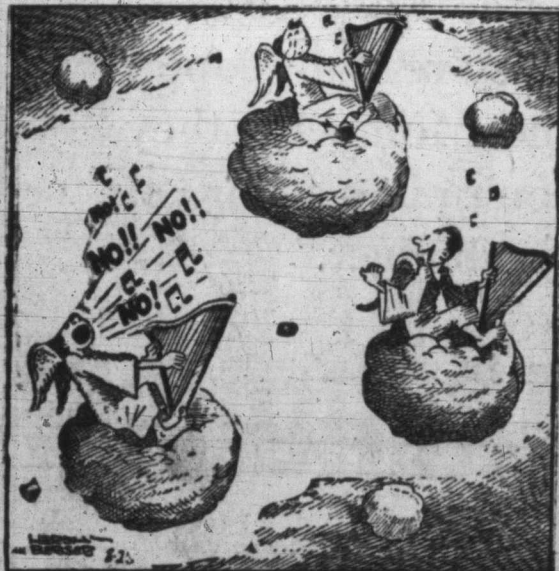
The value of cutting out these old vines and buying them is one of the best preventives for insect pests or diseases. If the new canes are over six feet tall, cut them down a little, too, so there will be no chance of them being broken with heavy winter weather. Then, in January, they will be pruned down again to shoulder-height, for convenient picking next summer.

The root crowns of the vine berries last for many years, but the fruited vines themselves, like other small fruits, only last for one season. The new vines have grown through the summer and are luxuriant now. Cut out the old vines and wind these new ones, on wires or other supports as early in the fall as possible. Treat them carefully, for these are your next year's crop.

**TENT CATERPILLARS**  
One of the night-flying moths we see against the windows this time of year, are laying the eggs of the tent caterpillar now. I found the first bands last week. The moth lays the eggs around a limb of the new wood, like a bracelet. You can easily twist it off. Those that you miss now will be taken care of with the dormant spray if you drench every limb, but taking off the rings now is the most "sure" way. Save your trees from tent caterpillars this easy way. These caterpillars only damage the trees on which the eggs are placed and hatch.

## FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



"I think he was a ration board official!"

## 11 Seamen From Empress of Asia Free

OTTAWA (CP) — Transport Minister Chevrier said today 20 Canadian seamen have been held prisoner in Japanese concentration camps, most of them at Singapore. Eleven of them were members of the crew of the Empress of Asia, which was bombed and set on fire near Singapore

shortly before that city fell to the Japanese. Arrangements are being made to repatriate the seamen as soon as transport facilities are available and the Transport Department will keep next-of-kin posted on their progress, the minister said.

In Changi Camp, Singapore—Second Officer Cecil W. Crofts (Ss. Empress of Asia), Vancouver; Chief A. Gee (Ss. Empress of Asia), Vancouver; Assistant Linenkeeper F. Gibbs (Ss. Empress of Asia), Vancouver; Cook Martin Lasky (Ss. Empress of

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## Kalakala to Leave City-Seattle Run

MS. Kalakala, streamlined ferry of the Black Ball Line, will come off the Victoria-Seattle run Sunday following one of the heaviest tourist traffic years of that company since the war, George Chief Cook E. Jacobsen (Ss. Hauraki), Vancouver.

Paulin, Victoria agent, announced today. She will probably not return to the run next year. The Kalakala was the centre of interest among Victorians when she arrived in Victoria June 8 on her first commercial run to Victoria. She was put on to take care of the heavy week-end travel anticipated this summer by Black Ball officials. Since then she has many times carried her capacity of 65 to 70 cars and reached 900 of her 1,000-passenger capacity. She is now being taken off to

go on the Bremerton-Seattle run, where extremely heavy tourist traffic has created great demand for her. In the meantime, the Iroquois will continue her usual run, and the Sidney-Anacortes run will be continued until the end of September. The Black Ball Line plans to put on a more frequent service between Victoria and Port Angeles next year, and although it is not expected the Kalakala will return to this run, plans are being made to secure another ferry.

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## Boy Scouts Enjoy Camp Life At Sooke



Scouts and Cubs bolsterously anticipate camp life in the woods as they are transported there by navy float.

At Camp Barnard, Young's Lake, Sooke, 50 Boy Scouts have been enjoying life in the great outdoors.

A series of camps were held throughout July when a total of 265 boys from various troops from the city were under canvas.

Assembling at Boy Scout headquarters, 1034 Johnson Street, Aug. 18, the boys now in camp were picked up by navy floats and transported to Sooke. They were all lined up and allowed to a camp ground under a leader.

The boys get their own supper by means of the cook patrol. That is each patrol takes turns at cooking under the instruction of a group leader. Rations are drawn from headquarters stores and the boys do their own washing up.

In the morning flag break is held with all the boys present. All boys are in uniform as the duty patrol leader of the day breaks the flag. The day's activities include making gadgets for the tents, putting up kitchen shelters and building the shelter for the mess hall.

After dinner the boys have a rest, period followed by swimming. A diving board and a raft is provided for the boys and those who cannot swim are sent to the shallow pool. Many of the boys have earned swimming and rescue badges at the camp.

After swimming the boys return to camp for supper and gather wood for the camp fire. Around the fire in the evening sing-songs, stories and stunts are held, and cocoa is served before the boys go to bed.

Other days the boys take a hike to the lake, a mile from camp or climb Bluff Mountain



"A" troop at boy scout Camp Barnard at Sooke during August.



Scout leaders, standing left to right: R. Muir, W. Luckinik, V. Smith, R. Riddley, H. Bullen, L. Brown, Freeman King, R. Rankin; second row, sitting: B. Leggett, B. Howes, W. Sherman, C. Watkins, W. Lessarge, W. Hunt; front row, D. Wakelin, I. McKenzie, D. Matthews.

## U.S. Congress Expected to Hold Hearings On Pearl Harbor Attack

WASHINGTON (CP) — Leaders of both the Democratic and Republican parties in Congress today declared that if court-martial are not ordered for those censured in the army and navy findings in the Pearl Harbor investigation, Congress will conduct its own hearings.

These men, speaking privately for the most part, said the people want and should be given more facts than were made public in the documents released by President Truman, Wednesday, concerning the sneak attack by the Japanese on the Pacific base Dec. 7, 1941, at which time a major portion of the U.S. Pacific Fleet was destroyed or damaged.

Chairmen of congressional committees would not promise

that an inquiry would be sponsored by their own groups, but several said there was no doubt Congress would insist upon the full story.

Meanwhile, the State Department released a letter written by former State Secretary Hull, Sept. 28, 1944, in which Mr. Hull staunchly denied that his pre-war counterproposals to Japan constituted an ultimatum that provoked the Japanese sneak attack on Pearl Harbor.

The army board's report on the disaster had said Mr. Hull "touched the button" that started the war.

With sentiment apparently mounting, too, for action to assure permanent establishment of some form of unified command

for the armed forces, there were these developments:

1. Chairman Clifton Woodrum (Dem., Va.) of the House post-war military policy committee, said his group probably would begin hearings within a month on legislation to merge the army and navy into a single national department of defence. As a temporary measure, he added, action should be taken to insure continuation of the present wartime joint chiefs-of-staff.

2. Chairman Andrew May

(Dem., Ky.) of the House military committee, said he already had drawn a bill to give the joint staff permanent status. Hearings on it may be held as soon as draft legislation is cleared, he added. The joint staff, set up after Pearl Harbor, includes army and navy chiefs, and is headed by Admiral William D. Leahy, personal chief-of-staff to the President.

3. Members of a special army-navy committee of inquiry reported they had submitted their recommendations to the joint chiefs regarding merger of the armed forces. They declined to say what they had recommended.

### Vice-President



John P. Gledhill, at present director of sales for the War Assets Corporation, who has been appointed vice-president in charge of the Pal-Personna Blade Corporation, New York.

During the present war Mr. Gledhill was attached to the Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps, in charge of the movement of stores, with the rank of Maj. Returning to Gordon Mackay and Company, Maj. Gledhill was subsequently loaned by that company to War Assets Corporation.

Born at Elko, B.C., Mr. Gledhill completed his education in England, and was first associated with the sales department of Imperial Tobacco Company both in England and Canada. In 1934 he joined Gordon Mackay and Company, becoming sales manager, the post he held at the outbreak of the war.

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WATCH DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Community Centre Drive in Oak Bay

Annual membership drive of the Oak Bay Community Centre will be held from Sept. 5 to Sept. 12. The drive for funds and members is necessary if the activities of the centre are to be continued as the only means of raising funds. Students are needed for the house-to-house canvass. The centre is also distributing circulars with regard to the national clothing drive to be held in October. The community centre is handling the collection for Oak Bay.

On Sept. 8 the Girls' Drill Team and the Victoria Boys' Band will

perform on Oak Bay Avenue from 2 to 3. The girls instructed by J. Macrimmon, have 23 members in uniform, with others in the probation period. The instructor hopes to have 40 trained girls in uniform by the end of the year. They meet every Thursday evening for practice. Any girl over 14 years living in Oak Bay is eligible.

The tennis, convened by Ralph Spenser, is greatly enjoyed by the students and adults. This activity is made possible through Mrs. F. W. G. Clark, Dennison Road, who lent the tennis court for the season. The convener has plans for a junior and senior tennis club next season.

The sewing club, convened by Mrs. C. Chaston, will start on Sept. 4. Mrs. Crossley, instruc-

tor, will teach new sewing, make, smoking and other interesting items. This promises to be an active class. If too many register for the first class a second class will be held.

### 3 More Troop Ships Due From Europe

OTTAWA (CP) — Defence Headquarters Thursday night announced latest information on westbound troopships bringing home Canadian service personnel from Europe showed the Cameronia due at Quebec Sept. 9, the Empress of Scotland due at Quebec Sept. 11 and the New Amsterdam due at Halifax Sept. 12.

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## B.C. Appeals for Aid To Ease Shortage In Feed Grains

To alleviate a feed shortage which threatens the collapse in B.C. of the large feeding program undertaken by farmers to produce vital food supplies chiefly for Great Britain the B.C. Feed Manufacturers' Association has forwarded resolutions to Ottawa asking for assistance.

The resolutions followed a meeting in Vancouver which was attended by feed manufacturers and suppliers of Vancouver Island and mainland points, along with Dr. J. B. Munro, deputy Minister of Agriculture.

Dr. Munro said today the situation was critical with oats and barley short as the current year's crop is used up and the fall crops are not yet available.

Besides asking the Dominion government to permit movement west of feeds from the prairies, the association suggested the Dominion Grain Board set up feed banks in Edmonton and Calgary to supply requirements of B.C. and Alberta. A reserve of 1,000,000 bushels of oats and 500,000 bushels of barley—which would

supply B.C. for about four months—was suggested. B.C.'s feed grain importations were 187,000 tons last year, and Mr. Munro estimated perhaps 195,000 tons would be needed this year. Last year consumption was 100,000 tons of wheat, 40,000 tons of oats, 32,000 tons of barley, 12,500 tons of mill feed, 1,500 tons of corn and 500 tons of mixed grains.

The representations came as Vancouver milk retailers were unable to get grain to feed delivery horses and as largest feed manufacturing concerns were faced with ceasing operations because no grains were available.

### Storekeeper Fined

Second-hand dealer Harry Israel pleaded guilty in police court Thursday to charges of failing to register a purchase and failing to require a person selling goods to him to sign the register, and was fined \$25 on each charge.

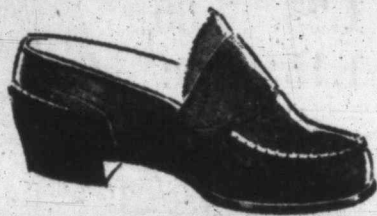
Detective Henry Jarvis told the court that he had seen a quantity of stolen fishing tackle in the window of Israel's store at 541 Johnson Street, and that on inquiring found that Israel had no record of who sold it to him.

"I had no intention of buying that stuff without entering it in the book," Israel said. "It was just a slip."

He agreed to surrender the fishing tackle to the owner.

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—Women's Shoes, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

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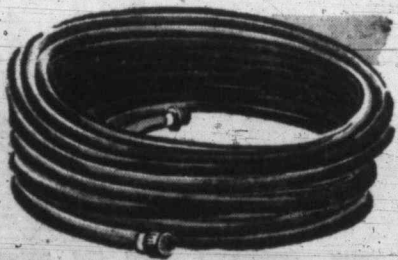
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—Women's Dresses, Fashion Floor at THE BAY

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For the very little miss... a coat that takes to rain or shine with equal ease! Herringbone wool on one side, shower and windproof gabardine on the other. Double-breasted box style with flap pockets.

Others, 7.98

## Reversible Coats

Long-wearing corduroy, lined with showerproof gabardine. Tailored box style in green, blue or brown.

Sizes 8 to 16 years..... 12<sup>98</sup>

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—Children's Wear, Fashion Floor at THE BAY



## Tweed Suits... Tailored to Stand The Wear They're Sure to Get!

Sketched Above..... 16<sup>95</sup>

Husky tweed suits in "he-man" styles, just like dad's! Always popular with the back-to-school boy... always popular with thrifty parents because they're tailored to stand the wear they're sure to get! 3-button, single-breasted style with TWO PAIRS OF TROUSERS. Herringbone and Donegal patterns in grey, blue, brown or green. Sizes 30 to 34.

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Fully lined, wind and showerproof jackets with full zipper front and two roomy slash pockets. Green, brown or black, some with contrasting trim. Sizes 32 to 36..... 9<sup>95</sup>

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COTTON AND RAYON CARDIGANS—Full zipper style with set-in sleeves and two pockets. Smart two-tone effects in wine or green. Sizes 24 to 34..... 2<sup>50</sup>

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# Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

AFTER BEING tagged with the label "Sucker" soon after entering the horse-racing game, William Helis, the New Orleans Greek, is starting to collect on his big investment. Helis, who is said to have an income of \$84,000 a day, paid out \$55,000 for Attention and the thoroughbred, called Pericles, which has not yet been to the races although he is deep in his three-year-old year.

HELIS HAD his own ideas of how to build a racing stable and the bankroll to put them into effect. Although the oil man has been in the business only three years, his \$2,000,000 investment is already paying off and he's just starting. Rick's Raft gave Helis his first important stake when he won the Walden at Pimlico last fall. Off to a slow start this spring, Helis really has been rambling since Elpis won the Coaching Club American Oaks at Belmont. His Adonis took the historic Travers and Olympic Zenith the \$50,000 Saratoga Handicap. And when the grey three-year-old Greek Warrior took the American Legion Handicap he stepped the seven furlongs in 1:22 1/5 and the three-quarters in 1:10 to equal the track record.

GETTING back to Helis' so-called bad investments. He was recently offered \$125,000 for Attention. The stallion is much sought because he is one of the few sons of Equivoque. He was also offered \$30,000 for Olympic Zenith, son of Mahmoud. He got another offer of \$75,000 for Adonis after the son of Reigh Count won the Travers. Helis is now giving Pericles his last chance in training and if he fails to stand up this trip he will go into stud on the Ranocosa farm where Helis intends to have 250 brood mares.

IN NEW YORK the other day two great baseball immortals, Babe Ruth and Ty Cobb, returned to the diamond to manage the eastern and western all-star teams, respectively. Speaking of Cobb, Ruth said: "The old boy was the greatest player I ever saw or hope to see. When I was pitching I had fair success against all the other great hitters, but Cobb was the one fellow I never could get out. I had a reputation for being a slugger but that guy Cobb could do everything better than any player I ever saw."

ONE OF the greatest thrills I ever got out of baseball was to watch Cobb head into a base. He always reminded me of Man o' War tearing through the home stretch. I once remember Cobb beating out four bunts down the third-base line against Bill Bradley, a wonderful third baseman for Cleveland. That was after Cobb warned Bradley he would bunt to him every time he went to the plate. Another time Cobb warned Lou Greiger, a catcher with Boston, that he would steal second, third and home on him first chance he got. Well, the first time up Cobb walked and on three pitches stole second, third and home against the dumbfounded Greiger. Yes, in my book, Cobb was the greatest player of them all.

## Fastball Finals

## Brentwood Champions

With the veteran Rom Knott hurling shutout ball for eight of the nine innings and being robbed of a scoreless performance by an error in the eighth inning, Brentwood Aces defeated Pacific Sheet Metal 5 to 1 Thursday night to capture the city senior B men's fastball championship.

It was the fifth and deciding contest with the youthful Aces displaying a lot of fight and steadiness after jumping into a three-run lead in the first inning. Outside of the run that scored Knott allowed only one other runner to reach third base as he hurled steady ball and received the advantage of good support.

Russ McMartin pitched for the metal workers and gave up only four hits, as compared to the six gathered off Knott, but failed to receive the best of support. Pacific Sheet were charged with six errors.

Trio of base hits by Bill Benn, Jim and Billy Turner along with a couple of boos by Kirkbride and Battle gave the Aces their three runs in the opening frame. Brentwood added single counters in the sixth and eighth. In the top half of the eighth Tommy Hibbert went all the way around the bases when his long fly to right field was dropped for the Sheet Metal's only run.

Sunday, Brentwood will open its bid for the 16th championship, in two games against Wellington Hotel of Nanaimo, up-Island champions at the Athletic Park, starting at 2:30 and 6.

## FINAL TONIGHT

Tonight at Central Park, Joe Foster's and Adams meet in the third and deciding game of the women's senior B city championship playoff. Starting time is 6:15.

Short score follows:

|                | R | H | E |
|----------------|---|---|---|
| P.S.M.         | 3 | 5 | 6 |
| Brentwood Aces | 5 | 4 | 2 |

Batteries—McMartin and Hibbert; Knott and J. Turner.

## Lacrosse Playoff Continues Tonight

Jokers and Owl Drug will resume their playoff for the city senior box lacrosse championship at the Willows tonight, starting 8:30.

Jokers hold a 2 to 0 lead in the best-of-seven series but the Owls will take the floor tonight with their line-up strengthened by the addition of Arnold Ferguson and Norm Baker, a couple of classy stickhandlers.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE  
Syracuse 6, 6 Jersey City 9, 0  
Montreal 6, Buffalo 8  
Baltimore 6, 4 New York 1, 7.

## They'll Do It Every Time



## Tommy Restell New President Of Soccer Loop

Destinies of the Victoria and District Football League for the next 12 months will be in the hands of Tommy Restell. The well-known athlete was elected president at the annual meeting held Thursday night to succeed Charlie Lewis, who had held the position for five years.

Office of vice-president will be filled by Nobby Clarke, with a secretary-treasurer to be elected at the next meeting. Charlie Callon, last year's secretary-treasurer, refused renomination owing to pressure of private business.

Five teams filed their entry last night, making prospects for the coming season exceptionally bright. Victoria West, V.M.D., and the Navy, three of last year's contenders will be back, along with the Toppers, last year's island junior champions, and Britannia Legion, sponsored by the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion. Army and Nanaimo of last year will not be entered.

It was decided to open the season on Saturday, Oct. 6. Closing date for entries was set for Saturday, Sept. 15.

Question of playing fields was debated at some length and it was decided to leave the matter in the hands of P. J. Mulcahy, lower island football commissioner.

A hearty vote of appreciation was extended to retiring President Lewis.

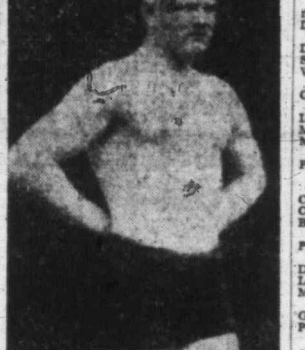
## Cricket Match

Five C's will oppose Oak Bay cricketers in a friendly match tomorrow at the Beacon Hill pitch at 2:30.

Teams will be as follows:

Oak Bay—Parker, Newton, Scott, Forsyth, Higgs, Brimblecombe, Collison, Paskin, Lea, G. C. Grant, Booth and Sherratt.

Five C's—Harper, Attwell, Gardiner, G. Payne, J. Payne, P. C. Payne, Gibbons, Pritchard, Griffin, Pugh, McIntosh and Sykes.



JACK FORSGREN

Well-known Vancouver wrestler who will tackle rugged Dazzler Clarke in one of the bouts on Saturday's card at the Royal Victoria Theatre. Chief Little Wolf and Lord Albert Mills have been rematched to a finish with two out of three falls to decide the winner. As a special attraction Mildred Burke, world's woman champion, will meet Mae Young. First bout is timed for 8:30.

## Junior Salmon Derby



With youngsters of all ages taking part the Port Alberni Tyee Club held its annual junior salmon derby last Sunday. Over 70 kiddies were entered and the event was won by Marilyn McLeod with a 42 1/2 pound fish. Lloyd Heddon was second with a 41 1/2 pounder. Above picture shows the prize winners with their catches.

## Public Choices Enjoy Big Day At Hastings Park

VANCOUVER (CP)—Favorites and near-favorites won all the races over the muddy Hastings Park track Thursday and the highest straight prices of the day were \$10.15, returned by Rock Steady, winner of the second, and \$10.20, paid by Little Ruler, winner of the fifth.

The first daily double, from Somer Holiday to Rock Steady, was worth \$31.45, and the second, from Dalmahoy to Little Ruler, returned \$31.55.

The quinnella, Dry Land and Lillooet Boy, in the seventh, paid \$83.85.

Results follow:

First race—Seven furlongs: Somer Holiday (Bradner) 2:30 1/2; The Colibri (Hruschak) 2:30 1/2; Cargill (Slegers) 2:30 1/2; Time 1:28 2/5. Also ran: Brown Bay, Bridge City, Somers Public, Sapporosa, Rock Steady (Wilbourn) 2:30 1/2; Trudy Fio (Duncan) 2:30 1/2; Wild Dev (Almon) 2:30 1/2; Time 1:28 4/5. Also ran: Parlan, Paper, Hells, Flanagan, Doby, Double, 2:31 1/2.

Third race—Five furlongs: South Free-Mile and one-sixteenth: Dalmahoy (Somer) 1:08 1/2; Staleum (Slegers) 1:08 1/2; Little Ruler (Somer) 1:08 1/2; Time 1:04 4/5. Also ran: Swan, Vesper, King, Dry Feet, Throwaway, Danie's Gift.

Fourth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Dalmahoy (Somer) 1:08 1/2; Staleum (Slegers) 1:08 1/2; Little Ruler (Somer) 1:08 1/2; Time 1:04 4/5. Also ran: Parlan, Paper, Hells, Flanagan, Doby, Double, 2:31 1/2.

Second daily double, \$31.45: South Free-Mile and one-sixteenth: Dalmahoy (Somer) 1:08 1/2; Staleum (Slegers) 1:08 1/2; Little Ruler (Somer) 1:08 1/2; Time 1:04 4/5. Also ran: Parlan, Paper, Hells, Flanagan, Doby, Double, 2:31 1/2.

Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Dry Land (Almon) 2:30 1/2; Lillooet Boy (Wilbourn) 2:30 1/2; Maratiner (Hruschak) 2:30 1/2; Time 1:33. Also ran: Lady Arden, Chic, Olin, Ladner Lad, Easter Pebble, Asot, Pegg, Quinella, \$83.85.

## Fishing Round-up

## Cowichan Still Good

Spring sal on are still being caught in large numbers at Cowichan Bay, with most fish being taken early in the morning or early evening.

Tommy Marlow, 1207 Union Avenue, got a 20 1/2 pounder Wednesday morning, using a Rosegar plug. R. Williams, Cobble Hill, caught a 20-pound spring Tuesday morning, using a seven wonder sp... and H. Nash, Cowichan Lake, landed a 16 1/2 pound spring Tuesday morning on a plug.

Mrs. F. Costin of Duncan pulled in two 26 pounders on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings, using a plug, and Frank Costin Jr. got a 21-pound spring on the same lure.

Fishing together, Teddy Robson of Duncan got a 29-pound spring, using a plug, Wednesday morning, at 1:00. Tayne caught a 28-pounder with a plug, while Jack Braten, another Duncanite, pulled in a 16-pound fish, using a plug as well.

Dr. K. Murchie of Duncan bagged a 20-pound spring, Wednesday morning, with a plug, and Mrs. Morrill, Seattle, caught an 18 and a 19-pound salmon the same morning, also using a plug.

Using a spoon, Mrs. Schuler of Seattle caught a 26-pound spring Tuesday morning, and Mr. Schuler caught a 21-pound spring Wednesday morning, also on a spoon.

COHO ON FLY  
First coho that has been heard of caught on a fly at Cowichan this year was an eight-pounder landed by Frank Cavanagh, San Mateo, Cal., on Tuesday afternoon.

Fishing at Oak Bay remains spotty. Ross Claton, 2720 Beach Drive, caught a 20-pound spring off Gulf Island, using a dodger, Wednesday afternoon, while R. McPory, 312 Walter Avenue, hooked a 10 and nine-pound coho near the golf links, on a dodger.

Harry T... has had had some good fishing off the breakwater. He has landed four salmon recently, while other good catches are being made off the buoy.

Brentwood reports good fishing. Harry Lester, Gordon Head, got three springs Wednesday afternoon, using a No. 4 McKnight spoon. George Robinson, 1220 Broad Street, caught four coho from four to six pounds, off Whittaker's Point, on a silver scale Martin plug.

A lot of fish are reported off Sidney Spit, where coho are plentiful. One fisherman got a dozen there this week, using a spinner and herring, and a bucket fly.

A few big rainbow trout up to 3 1/2 and four pounds, are being caught at Well Lake, and a few fish are being taken at Shavni-gan Lake, but more rain is needed to improve the fishing.

## Rally in Ninth Robs Seattle of Baseball Triumph

The pressure on the Portland Beavers eased slightly today as the Coast League pacesetters added a game to their slim first-place margin. Their 6 to 1 victory over the San Diego Padres, plus Seattle's 5 to 4 defeat at the hands of the Sacramento Solons, put them two and a half games ahead of the second-spot Rainiers.

San Francisco's 3 to 1 loss to Los Angeles cut the third-berth Seals' lead over the Solons to a single tilt. Hollywood dimmed Oakland's hopes of entering the first division by beating the Acorns 5 to 2.

Stalwart pitching, which has been the bulwark of Portland's strength all season, paid off again last night. Portlander Wadell Mossor allowed San Diego only two hits and would have gained a shut-out except for his own wildness when he walked four men in the first inning.

Seattle appeared to have its game with Sacramento safely stowed away, until left-hander Chet Johnson weakened with two men out in the last of the ninth. The Rainiers were leading 4 to 3 when Johnson walked Gene Handley and Jo-Jo White. Both scored on right fielder Jess Landrum's smashing two-bagger to left center, ending the game. Rookie Joe Vivalda, 'teen-age hurler who got credit for the win, gave up 10 hits to Johnson's six but scattered them effectively.

|            | R | H  | E |
|------------|---|----|---|
| Seattle    | 4 | 10 | 1 |
| Sacramento | 1 | 6  | 2 |

Batteries—Johnson and Summe; Vivalda and Schuler.

San Francisco 1, 5, 6  
Los Angeles 1, 8, 6  
Batteries—Ortiz, Busch (8) and Spina, Orendowski; Culler and Kreitzberg.

Portland 6, 10, 2  
Batteries—Moser and Sousa; Brillheart and Grieg.

Hollywood 1, 2, 1  
Oakland 2, 8, 1  
Batteries—Kimball and Hill; Mann, Van Sledright and Kearse.

## Carpet Bowling Navy-Army Play Baseball Tonight

A Belcher was elected chairman of the Britannia Branch carpet bowling league at the recent annual meeting. P. Walker was named vice-chairman. Arthur G. Holloway, secretary, treasurer, and R. Clarke, assistant secretary.

All members intending to play are asked to list their names at the office by Sept. 14, when a general meeting will be held in the clubrooms.

## ADANACS WIN BOXLA

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—Adanacs defeated Salmonbellies here Thursday night, 22 to 16, in the last scheduled intercity lacrosse league game for both teams.

Victory put the A's into sole possession of second place, one game ahead of Richmond, who can once more tie it up by beating Indian Arrows tonight.

## Chicago, St. Louis In Crucial Series

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## Chicago, St. Louis In Crucial Series

Three of the most important series still hanging on the major league calendar open today as Chicago Cubs and St. Louis Cardinals come to grips for the National League lead while the American presents two dog fights featuring Detroit vs. Cleveland and New York at Washington.

Anything can happen to the standings before Sunday night when both Red Birds and Senators could be occupying the top rung. St. Louis, in addition to sweeping all four from the first place Bruins, would have to count on Chicago's "suspended game" with Brooklyn as lost to ease into the lead by percentage points.

Every calculation of the National League state of affairs must include that July 20 unfinished tilt in which Brooklyn led Chicago, 10 to 4, at the end of eight innings. It won't be until Sept. 15 that it finally will be entered into the records. All the Cubs' competitors are banking on the Brooks to hold that comfortable lead for three more outs.

Billy Southworth has the same three starters who knocked off Chicago three straight last weekend, to go into the four-game series opening tonight under the Sportsman's Park arcs. Harry Brecheen, Ken Burkhardt and Red Barrett, with probably George Dockins to finish up, Charley Grimm also has his ace in line with Hank Wyse, Claude Passeau, Hank Borowy and Ray Prim ready. Two single night games and a Sunday double-header are listed.

Pittsburgh made the Cards' task a little easier yesterday by downing Chicago, 6 to 4, slicing their lead to four games.

The Cardinals and Cincinnati had played their scheduled game at an earlier date and all other National Leaguers were idle.

New York was the only contender to gain in the American by a 7 to 1 romp over Boston by Floyd Revens turning in a gaudy one-hit job. Dave 'Doc' Ferriss failed to tame his Yankee jinx and bowed to the New Yorkers for the fourth time in a row since shutting them out May 6.

Cleveland got away with a 4 to 4 tie in Chicago as Don Ross homered after Dutch Meyer singled in the ninth frame off Orval Grove. All other American Leaguers had an off day.

|            | R | H  | E |
|------------|---|----|---|
| Chicago    | 4 | 12 | 9 |
| Pittsburgh | 6 | 12 | 6 |

Batteries—Derringer, Erickson, Vandenberg and Rier; Roe, Rescigno and Balked, Loefer.

|           | R | H  | E |
|-----------|---|----|---|
| Cleveland | 4 | 10 | 6 |
| Chicago   | 4 | 11 | 6 |

Batteries—Center, Salvo, Klesman and Mayhew; Grove, Patsch and Tresh.

|          | R | H | E |
|----------|---|---|---|
| Boston   | 1 | 3 | 9 |
| New York | 7 | 1 | 0 |

Batteries—Ferra and Steiner; Revens and Robinson.

## Good Response for Pro Baseball Fund

Members of the committee making a canvass of the city to raise \$35,000 to finance a Victoria pro ball team in the Western International League today reported a good response. "The general public is really interested and I don't think we will experience any trouble reaching our quota by the end of the week," one member said.

Local businessmen are solidly behind the plan and it is felt all details will be cleared up well before the league meeting set for Tacoma on Sept. 9.

Anybody wishing to purchase shares in the company and not approached to date should contact Johnny Johnson, Vic Clarke, George Straith, Arthur Cox, Laurel Harney, Mrs. A. M. Gates or J. Neely.

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# BOOKS.....

## PIONEER TALE

"Wild Orchard" by Isabel Dick (Oxford University Press)

THIS IS A STORY of the pioneer days in the wilds of Van Diemen's Land, as Tasmania was called in the days of the story. It tells how Harriet and Jan Halifax built a home in the wilderness and raised a family to carry on the Halifax contribution to community welfare that had become almost a tradition.

Fire swept away their promised home, but neighbors came to their assistance. With ex-convicts as servants and lawlessness still in evidence, Harriet is often frightened, as when Maggie, who had been transported from England, cradled the kitten on the barn door and Martin Cash, a notorious bush-ranger came to call.

However the taming process goes on until at last peace settles on Parklands. Based on facts, this is a wholesome and inspiring tale, well told.

The author of "Wild Orchard," Isabel Dick, whose great-grandfather sailed from Kent, England, was one of the original pioneers of Tasmania. Herself born on

## Library Leaders

Diggon-Hibben Ltd. — "Time Bomb," E. A. Piller; "Barrington," Edward Tatum Wallace; "Westward the River," Dale Van Every. David Spencer Ltd. — "Under Cunningham's Command," Cmdr. George Sitt, R.N.; "So Well Remembered," James Hilton; "Dasha," E. M. Almedingen. Hudson's Bay Co. — "Double Agent," Hildegard T. Teihet; "Homecoming," Alice Ross Colver; "You'll Be Sorry," Samuel Rodgers.

the island, Mrs. Dick delved deeply into records for the factual background of her novel.

## FOR THE FORCES

"Native Peoples of the Pacific World," by Dr. Felix M. Keesing (Macmillan's).

THIS IS ONE of a series of handbooks on the plant and animal life and native peoples of the Pacific world written primarily for the use of the armed forces in Pacific war theatres. However, these books are an excellent source of general information about this fascinating and too little-known section of the world.

The 100,000,000 people discussed by Dr. Keesing are the people native to the tropical Pacific — the Netherlands Indies, the Philippines, Formosa and the South Seas.

The book does not attempt to cover the complex problems of understanding the Japanese people, the Formosan Chinese, the Ainu, the Aleuts, or other groups resident in the Northwest and North Pacific island zones.

The invasion of white troops into the Pacific world, bringing with them new ideas and a more modern way of life has profoundly affected the lives of these people. Their present languages, government, home conditions, social customs, religion and livelihood covered in this volume and 32 pages of photographs should be a major contribution to the understanding between peoples.

## BOOK NOTES

Ryerson Press have announced that the \$1,000 Fiction Award will be given again in 1946 to any Canadian author whose manuscript is declared first choice by the judges.

The desire of this Canadian firm is to stimulate the production of novels that are skillfully written, rich in their interpretations, and generally creative in their approach to life. Only spy, detection and crime stories are ineligible for the competition.

Instituted in 1942 the prize that year was won by G. H. Sallans' "Little Man." In 1943 and 1944 no manuscripts offered measured up to the required standard.

In 1945 the award was equally divided between Will R. Bird for "Here Stays Good Yorkshire," and Philip Child for "Day of Wrath."

## Rotary Club Enjoys Musical Luncheon

A Russian musical film short, singing and instrumental music were enjoyed by members of the Victoria Rotary Club at their luncheon meeting in the Empress Hotel Thursday.

Introduced by Walter Fletcher, sub-chairman of the music committee, the McGill trio consisting of Trudie, Edith and Bobby McGill, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McGill, played "The Volga Boatman," "Harlequin," and "Valse Cherie" on the violin, cello and piano. They were followed by Miss Shirley Gun accompanied by Mrs. C. C. Ward, who sang "Je Suis Titania" from "Mignon," and "Falling In Love With Love."

To close the program two Russian shorts were shown by Fred Norris. The first illustrated selections from the opera "Rigoletto," and the other folk dancing from the ballet "Taras Bulba."

Dr. Frank Harwood, chairman of the music committee, thanked the artists on behalf of the club and presented a banquet of carnations to Miss Gun and Mrs. McGill.

Members of the club presented with birthday carnations by A. P. Dawe were: Les Bing, Len Hobbs, Johnny Johnson, Walter Luney and Louis Michellin.

A total of seven guests were welcomed, and Roy Denny introduced the following visiting Rotarians: Judge L. A. Hanna, Alberni; E. V. Cromwell, Laffin, Texas; Duncan Cameron, Winnipeg; Bill Fortier, Coquille, Ore.; Harry Boothroyd, Alberni; J. C. Whitelaw, Seattle; Frank Wyman, St. Catharines, Ont.; Courtney F. Barter, San Francisco; Ray Kerr, Vancouver; Herb Robinson, Everett, Wash.; William Johnson, Everett, Wash.; William Degan, Alameda, Wash.; Norman Corfield, Nanaimo; George McCuaig, Weyburn, Sask.; George F. Gallagher, Chicago, and Clyde C. Tenny, Port Angeles, Wash.

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The surrender of the last enemy has ended the fighting, but it has not ended the war job of the Canadian National Railways. The men and women in the Services have to be brought home without delay and for that purpose we shall continue to employ all our available passenger equipment. Millions of tons of materials must be transported for industrial reconversion.

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B.C. Packers received a permit for the building of a lunch room at Ogden Point, value \$4,500.

Conversion of 216 Vancouver Street into three suites was also approved and a permit issued Frank Perry for \$2,000.

A fine of \$15 was imposed in Sanich police court Thursday on a driver who pleaded guilty to

### New Union Officers Take Over Records

Acting under instructions of the Shipyard Workers' General Federation, the new officers of the Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders' Union, No. 2, late last night took possession of the files, records and membership roster in the office of 902 Government Street. The former officers had refused to yield and remained in possession.

The new officers will open another office to conduct business of the union pending the outcome of court proceedings.

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## Continue Chlorination Health Officer Advises

Continuation of chlorination of Victoria's water supply is urged in a letter received today by City Council from Dr. G. F. Amyot, provincial health officer.

Dr. Amyot points out that "it is the responsibility of municipal officials to take every measure to safeguard the water supply from which the citizens of Victoria purchase their water, and every effort should be made to continue the safeguard in existence at the present time."

He states: "It is recognized by all health authorities that untreated surface water supplies are always potentially dangerous and subject to periodic contamination at the source, as well as possible leakage of water mains and sewers."

Dr. Amyot said in his letter that the federal government by its wartime action in paying the costs of the operation of chlorination equipment has given leadership in health protection which should be maintained for the protection of the citizens at all times.

He stated that prior to the installation of chlorination equipment the bacterial quality of Victoria's water supply was such as to rate in safety as doubtful, and the fact that no illness or disease was ever directly attributed to the water supply prior to chlorination was not sufficient reason to discontinue this protective measure now.

Dr. Amyot said that since chlorination was started, the analyses of the water indicate that it has been able to meet the most rigid requirements of international standards governing safety of water for domestic purposes and used on common carriers in interprovincial and international traffic.

Dr. Amyot warned that it is likely that the federal government will not continue to pay the costs of operation of chlorination equipment beyond a certain date, still to be set, with the ending of the war.

### MUCH OPPOSITION

Letters continue to come in to Mayor Percy George on the matter of chlorination, but the mayor is not prepared to make any definite statement on the matter as yet.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., wrote today protesting the continuance of chlorination of the city's water, pointing out that before the war the water was advertised as the purest in Canada.

However, Mayor George said that samples taken of the water after chlorination indicate no bacillus coli, whereas two to three samples of every five taken of the water before it reaches the chlorination plant contain active bacillus coli. "It is a difficult matter to make a decision on," he said.

### H. R. Wilkinson Gets C.N.R. Post Here

Appointment of Henry R. Wilkinson to the post of division engineer, Canadian National Railways, Vancouver Island lines, is announced by W. T. Moodie, general superintendent. Mr. Wilkinson comes to Victoria from Prince Albert, Sask., to succeed St. John Munroe, recently promoted as district engineer, B.C. district.

Mr. Wilkinson was born in Kingston, Ont., and entered C.N.R. service in Oct. 915, as transitman in the engineering department at Prince Albert. He worked at various points throughout the prairies and on the Hudson Bay Railway until Sept. 14, 1941, when he became division engineer, C.N.R., Kamloops.

During World War I, Mr. Wilkinson was in the army nearly four years, including two years of railway work in France with the 3rd Battalion, Canadian Railway Troops, latterly as captain.

### Technical Director To Deputy Minister



COL. F. T. FAHEY

Successor to Dr. S. J. Willis as deputy minister and superintendent of education for the B.C. government, Col. F. T. Fahey will take over the position with a long teaching background in Vancouver schools and after seven years with the department.

Education Minister H. G. T. Perry announced Thursday that Dr. Willis and Dr. H. B. King, chief inspector of schools, would both retire soon, and that Col. Fahey would succeed Dr. Willis.

Since the spring of 1938 Col. Fahey has been director of technical education for the B.C. government, a position he took over from John Kyle. He has also served as regional director for the Dominion-Provincial War Emergency Training Program which more recently has been known as the Canadian Vocational Training Program.

Col. Fahey came to the department from Vancouver Technical School where he had served for several years as vice-principal.

Born in England, he emigrated to B.C. as a youth and taught in Vancouver, Victoria and Quesset, before the last war. After serving overseas with the Canadian Army he continued active in the Irish Fusiliers in Vancouver on his return and held the rank of colonel in that militia group.

He holds a B.A. degree from the University of British Columbia.

Col. Hugh Allan  
Retires From Army

Col. Hugh R. W. Allan, 1006 Deal Street, has retired from the Canadian Army after nearly six years service, Pacific command officials announce.

A veteran of the First Great War, Col. Allan was recently awarded the Canadian Efficiency Decoration in recognition of his many years devoted to his country's service.

Work on the 150 veterans' houses is proceeding rapidly, Ald. Ed Williams, manager of Victoria Housing Ltd. said today, and it is expected that the roofs will be on the first group of houses by the end of next week.

Again Leads  
Liberals of N.S.

HALIFAX (CP)—Hon. Angus L. Macdonald, former navy minister, today was chosen leader of the Nova Scotia Liberal Party, which met to name a successor to retiring Premier MacMillan.

Before his membership in the House of Commons and his service as Navy Minister he was Liberal leader in Nova Scotia and premier of the province from Sept. 5, 1933, to July 12, 1940.

## Divided Opinion On Lifting of Emergency Order

Opinion here is divided on the advisability of lifting the emergency shelter regulations which have been in effect for the past six and a half months, and throwing the door wide open for anyone who wishes to take up residence here.

R. W. Mayhew, M.P., expressed approval of lifting the regulations which in his opinion have only clogged the normal rental machinery and done nothing to provide any additional houses, which is the real need. However, he strongly urged that the city start an advertising campaign in eastern Canada and the prairies asking winter residents not to come here this year.

Mayor Percy George endorsed Mr. Mayhew's plan of some form of campaign to ask visitors who plan on taking up housing accommodation, even for a few months, not to come to the city this year. "We welcomed visitors in the past, and will welcome them again as soon as we can get our housing difficulties straightened out," the mayor said.

The matter would be referred to the special housing committee Mayor George said, and they will be asked to draft plans for some such campaign. The mayor declared his opposition to the lifting of the regulations at the present time because he felt it would complicate rather than ease the already more than desperate situation.

### HARDSHIP ON VETERANS

Mr. Mayhew pointed out that it has been, in the past, the custom of a large number of people to come here during the mild winters, rent houses and leave their own homes vacant on the prairies. "This will work a distinct hardship on our returning veterans if these people come to Victoria this year before more houses are available," Mr. Mayhew declared.

He favored the granting of the new powers to the emergency shelter authorities which will permit them to force the rental or sale of houses standing vacant. He felt also that the new regulations would to a large extent stop the speculative building of houses that has been going on. "It will mean that builders will build to order and not for speculation," he declared.

All that the shelter regulations had done in the past, Mr. Mayhew felt was place a penalty on the honest landlord and dishonest type managed to evade them.

The Real Estate Board, after a special meeting called to consider the new situation, issued a statement that they were not in possession of sufficient facts to express an opinion on the merits of the new order, which they had not seen.

"Generally," the statement continued, "we consider the release of news pertaining to orders in council before such orders are announced in full to those who are principally affected is extremely injurious to the general public."

The Real Estate Board advocated the returning to ordinary rental channels of the rental business "instead of its remaining bottlenecked through the housing registry."

They complimented D. K. Kennedy, emergency shelter administrator on the manner "in which he has carried out an extremely difficult task, and hope that his services will be retained."

Major H. Cuthbert Holmes expressed the opinion that the housing registry is quite unnecessary and always has been, that the business would be better handled by experts who know their business.

Representatives of Oak Bay and Saanich both expressed disapproval at the discontinuance of the shelter regulations.

Constance F. F. F. of Oak Bay said "I think discontinuance of the permit system will result in a big influx of people here, and I definitely favor control."

He pointed out that many servicemen from other places who had been stationed here were hoping to come back to Victoria and the neighboring municipalities to live.

### DETIMENT TO AREA

Reeve E. C. Warren of Saanich declared "It is going to act to the detriment of Victoria and district." He felt that as Victoria was already a congested area the doing away with the permit system would only make matters worse.

Work on the 150 veterans' houses is proceeding rapidly, Ald. Ed Williams, manager of Victoria Housing Ltd. said today, and it is expected that the roofs will be on the first group of houses by the end of next week.

### Ship's Barber Dies

The body of Henry Steil, barber aboard the Princess Charlotte, was removed from the ship to McCall Brothers' Funeral Parlors today by provincial police. Steil was understood to have collapsed during the trip from Seattle to Victoria.



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with Orchestra.  
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and His Orchestra.  
The More I See You; I Miss You Kiss—Swing and  
Sway with Sammy Kaye.  
Along the Navajo Trail; Counting the Days—Dinah  
Shore with Orchestra.  
Gotta Be This or That; Good, Good, Good (That's  
You, That's You)—Swing and Sway with Sammy  
Kaye.  
Dream; Every Time—Freddie Martin and His Or-  
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## Women War Workers Not Seeking Jobs in Peacetime Industries

Whether women workers now discharged from war industries have returned to domestic duties or whether they are still determined to escape the drudgery of the sink and stove is still an open question in Victoria.

A large percentage of the 200 women shipyard workers who received their discharge notices have not reported to National Employment Office for re-employment as yet, C. A. Mudge, Victoria manager, said this morning.

However, it is possible that many of them are just taking a well-earned holiday before placing themselves on the employment market again. He estimated that it would be a full month before anything definite could be ascertained as to whether there is a concerted move back to the homes for women workers or not.

During the past week in the women's department of the National Employment Office there were 86 placements, and 52 unconfirmed referrals, leaving 362 women still looking for jobs. For these there were 404 jobs available.

However, the great majority of

the jobs listed are for waitresses, laundry workers and for domestic service. To date the women from the shipyards who have registered are looking for factory work of the type they were doing and show little interest in any of jobs listed with the employment office.

The week previous to the cessation of hostilities there were only 228 women listed as unemployed and 284 jobs available. Last week there were 294 on file and 330 jobs listed.

During this past week 161 women applied for employment. The employment picture changes rapidly, Mr. Mudge pointed out. For instance yesterday there was an apparent shortage of office workers, yet by today practically all the jobs have been filled.

Employees are not as yet showing any disinclination to hire married women. The average employer is interested in getting a qualified worker who is prepared to work full time and accept more or less permanent employment. They do not inquire particularly if the woman is married or not.

## Sees Discontent In Britain Facing Difficult Winter

There will be some discontent in Britain this winter, according to Sir Richard Burbridge, C.B.E., chairman of Harrods Ltd., London's great department store, who left Victoria today en route to Washington, D.C.

Sir Richard flew across the Atlantic to inspect the amenities ships which are being outfitted on this coast for the entertainment of British servicemen in the Pacific zone of occupation.

He is a member of the board of management of the Navy, Army and Air Force Institutes, popularly known as the Naafi, controlling the canteen funds of the services.

"The upheaval caused by six years of war will inevitably create some discontent," said Sir Richard, discussing immediate postwar conditions in Great Britain.

"There will be less food and less clothing, and the coal shortage will be real this winter," he said.

When reminded of the new Labor government's policy to nationalize the coal mines, Sir Richard said that would not prevent a serious fuel shortage during the next few months. Sir Richard thinks Britain's

labor administration now in power will "be right."

"It's better they received a definite majority at the election, but they have a hard job ahead of them," he said.

### Senator McRae's Daughter Passes

The death occurred this morning at Vernon Villa, St. Joseph's Hospital, of Mrs. Blanche McRae Lewis, daughter of Senator A. D. McRae. Mrs. Lewis, who was born in Wisconsin, U.S.A., was the wife of Daniel B. Lewis, 1664 Cedar Crescent, Vancouver, and had been a patient in the Victoria hospital during the past four months. She leaves to mourn her loss besides her father and husband, two daughters, Mrs. Jocelyn L. Baker of Eaglecrest, Qualicum Beach, and Miss Audrey Lewis at the family home; also two sisters, Mrs. Walter Seligman, New York, and Mrs. L. McRae Paul, Seattle.

Senator McRae's daughter passed away at the age of 68.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. today at the Victoria Camera Club.

Bus Line Decision  
Delayed by Transcript

With the transcript of evidence at the three-day hearing here last week not yet available, the Public Utilities Board may not announce a decision on the Gonzales-Fairfield bus route for Victoria until next week.

The board had heard during the hearing representations from the Blue Line Transit and Taxi Co.

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and the B.C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd. to operate the bus line. The City Council had offered the service to the B.C.E.R.

With the hold-up the decision by the transcripts the line will not be inaugurated before next week now.

Earl Clarke, retired Victoria High School teacher and sculptor, will deliver an address on "Fictorial Art" before the Victoria Camera Club Sept. 13 in the Y.M.C.A.

Marcel Brsanlou was fined \$25 in court today and prohibited from driving a car for one month when he pleaded guilty to a dangerous driving charge. Eight persons, pleading guilty to parking violation charges were fined \$2.50 each.

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Lined up in front of their bus are newsboys of the Port Angeles Evening News, with circulation manager Marvin Young, who visited Victoria Thursday as a reward for sticking to their jobs during the summer holiday months. The boys saw all points of interest here, scouring the shops for curios and merchandise hard to get in the U.S. This is the second year that such a tour has been arranged for Port Angeles newsboys.

### Bruce Cabot Comes Back From Forces

Bruce Cabot, after two years' absence from the sound stages while serving in the Army Air Forces in Africa and Italy, resumed his film career when he started work in Paramount's "Salty O'Rourke."

In the race track drama, which Raoul Walsh is directing, Cabot plays the top heavy role, a crooked gambler who tries to put Alan Ladd on the spot throughout the story.

Gail Russell, Stanley "Stash" Clements and William Demarest have other principal roles in the Milton Holmes screen play which opens Sunday midnight at the Capitol Theatre.

Presenting an exciting running of a big-time race, "Salty O'Rourke" will appeal to all turf fans. Professional jockeys from the Caliente track were hired by Paramount for the handling of the racing sequences.

### Where To Go Tonight

**ATLAS** — "Till We Meet Again," starring Ray Milland.

**CADET** — Maria Montez and Jon Hall in "Sudan."

**CAPITOL** — Spencer Tracy and Katharine Hepburn in "Without Love."

**DOMINION** — "Bells of Rosarita," starring Roy Rogers.

**OAK BAY** — Anne Shirley in "King's Row."

**PLAZA** — "Four Feathers," starring Ralph Richardson.

**RIO** — "Stranger From Santa Fe," starring Raymond Hatton.

**YORK** — Dennis O'Keefe in "Brewster's Millions."

### Round-Up of Stars From Cowboy Films

The gayest round-up of cowboy stars ever seen is in Republic's exciting musical western, "Bells of Rosarita," starring Roy Rogers, now at the Dominion Theatre. Ridin', ropin', shootin' and adding to the fun are the top cow-waddies of all filmdom — Wild Bill Elliott, Allan Lane, Robert Livingston, Donald Barry and Sunset Carson. Each of them brings along his equally famous horse — and each gives a demonstration of trick riding for the huge finale number. In addition, there's Dale Evans, George "Gabby" Hayes, Bob Nolan and the Sons of the Pioneers, Adele Mara, Janet Martin, Grant Withers, Roy Barcroft, Addison Richards and the famed Robert Mitchell Boy Choir, bringing Hollywood's brightest western songs to the screen.

### Bill Knowles Gets Military Medal

Cpl. W. H. (Bill) Knowles learned Thursday, 19 days after his discharge from the 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment, that he had been awarded the Military Medal for service described by the G.O.C., 3rd Division, as gallant and distinguished. The M.M. ribbon and service letters from the 3rd Division commander and the officer commanding the 7th Infantry Brigade reached Knowles at his home, 1385 Vista Heights. They were sent to him from Little Mountain Camp, Vancouver, where he was discharged Aug. 11. Knowles, former featherweight boxing champion of British Columbia, won the 3rd Division light-heavyweight championship overseas in 1943. He had nearly six years of active service. His father, W. H. Knowles, won the D.C.M. and Bar in the last war, serving with the 25th Battalion, C.E.F.

### CAPITOL THEATRE

As Kitty Trimble in "Without Love," at the Capitol Theatre, starring Spencer Tracy and Katharine Hepburn, Lucille Ball believes she is playing her most important screen role to date. Kitty, she declares, is colorful, witty and intelligent. The character is a complete departure from those she has previously portrayed.

### Mohammed Supplies Food



First man aboard Canadian and British ships after they had put into Alexandria, Egypt, during the war usually was El Haig Mohammed, Mohammed Ali, pictured above in the centre of the group, who was agent for the supply of fresh foods. Around him are PO. Steward Dave Jones and RPO. Val Ramsdale of Victoria, sitting left and right respectively, and Master at Arms W. Thompson, Halifax, and PO. Steward F. Liscombe, Toronto, standing. All four returned here aboard H.M.C.S. Uganda. PO. Ramsdale is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ramsdale, 616 Lampson Street.

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**ATLAS**

### R.C.A.F. to Open New Release Centre

A new R.C.A.F. release centre, which will ease the pressure at Jericho Beach, will be opened shortly at Boundary Bay, it was learned today. The Jericho Beach release centre at present is sending about 100 air force men per day back into civilian life; the discharged personnel coming from all trades and ranks in the R.C.A.F. The station at Patricia Bay last week-end sent 455 men to Jericho Beach and other discharge centres, across Canada for release but this figure was said to be exceptionally high.

### Dissolves Injunction In Union Dispute

Mr. Justice J. O. Wilson dissolved the interim injunction he granted last Friday ex parte restraining three officers of the Victoria No. 2 Boilermakers Union from acting for the union after an all-day argument by the contending parties to the dispute in Supreme Court Chambers Thursday.

Application for the dissolution was brought by Joseph McKenna on behalf of the three local officers removed from their positions by representatives of the Shipyard General Workers Federation. It was contested by John F. Burton on behalf of the federation supporters who elected new officers at a split meeting of the union Aug. 20 and brought the injunction last Friday in an effort to gain control of the union's affairs after they were barred from the Boilermakers' Hall by members of the other faction.

### Sussex Sailor Wins

Winners of the servicemen's competition, held at the weekly "welcome home" concert at Beacon Hill Park, Wednesday, were AB. G. HZ South, Southend, Sussex, first; Cpl. Leonard Mail, Canadian Army, second; LCpl. S. J. Ivantich, Winnipeg, third. Teen-age competition winners were David Steele, Central Junior High School; Pat Daniel, Mount Newton High School, and Jerry James, Central Junior High School.

### Col. H. Allan Home

Col. Hugh Allan, E.D., has returned to his home, 1008 Deal Street, after retiring from his post as senior administrative officer at Pacific Command. Col. Allan, a veteran of the last war, returned to active duty here in August, 1939, as administrative officer at M.D. 11, and became colonel in charge of administration when headquarters moved to Vancouver as Pacific Command. He went to Kiska in 1943 and to Great Britain with the 13th Infantry Brigade in 1944.

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## Poultry Farming Keenly Interests Returning Soldiers

Inquiries which J. R. Terry, poultry commissioner for the B.C. Department of Agriculture, said, are pouring in from all parts of the world indicate a keen interest in poultry farming in B.C. in the postwar years.

But, according to Mr. Terry: "At present the future of the industry in its at present expanded state depends on whether we can compete with the European countries after the two-year agreement expires."

Under the agreement some of the largest shipments of shell eggs ever made from British Columbia are being sent to Britain. They include the shipment of 2,750,000 dozen eggs from New Westminster planned for October.

Mr. Terry reported that the inquiries on poultry farming have come from the battlefronts of the world, indicating that Canadian soldiers have dreams of a poultry ranch in the Fraser Valley or on Vancouver Island in his rehabilitation scheme.

One plucky soldier in Belgium recently queried Mr. Terry as follows in a letter:

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Also in this issue

**WORD QUIZ.** Does "crass" mean irritable, crude, bitter, or noisy? Adding new words increases your self-confidence, influence, even your earning power. Here's a word quiz that is fun to do; will pay you dividends.

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**HOW TO GET ALONG WITH RUSSIA.** Behind all the beautiful talk about "historic friendship," are the U. S. and Russia actually following a policy that may lead to World War III? William Hard lists eight things that must be done now to build a lasting peace.

**WOULD THEY PICK YOU AS A JUROR?** Do lawyers like "brainy" jurors? Do they want women in the box when another woman is on trial? Read how famous lawyers have picked sympathetic jurors by red noses, umbrellas, and other telltale signs.

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## Tonight

5.30—Folk Music—KOMO.  
Orchestra—CJR.  
Hawaiian Dreams—CJR.  
Hawaii in News—KJR.  
Washington Reports—KIMO.  
Tom Mox—KOL.  
Ems Peterson—KOMO 8.45.  
Raymond Swine—KJR 8.45.

6.00—News—CJVI.  
People Ask—CJR.  
Rings and Rings—CJR.  
Wait Time—KOMO.  
Jerry Wayne—KIRO.  
Gabriel Heiler—KOL.  
Famous Trials—KJR.  
Real Life Stories—KOL 8.15.  
Music Sales—CJVI 8.15.

6.30—Spotlight Bands—KOL.  
Mart Kenna—CJVI.  
The Sherry—KJR.  
Johnny Home Show—CJR.  
People Are Funny—KOMO.  
Those Websters—KIRO.  
Dance—CJR.

7.00—News—CJR.  
The Spotlight—KJR.  
Dinner—KOMO.  
Raymond Swine—KJR.  
Hawaii in News—KJR.  
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7.30—Sports News—KJR.  
Johnny Russell—KJR.  
Ems Peterson—KOMO.  
Loose Range—KOL.

8.00—Dick Deane—CJR.  
Society—CJR.  
Supper Club—KOMO.  
Buster Brown—KOL.  
Jack Kirkwood—KIRO.  
Southland Singing—CJVI.  
Famous Trials—KJR.  
Real Life Stories—KOL 8.15.  
Music Sales—CJVI 8.15.

8.30—Folk Music—KOMO.  
This Is Your F.R.—KJR.  
Correlation, Please—KOMO.  
Playhouse—CJR.

9.00—News—KOL.  
Aldrich Family—KIRO.  
Wait Time—CJVI.  
Night to Remember—KJR.  
Tuned to Radio—KJR.  
Night to Remember—KJR.  
Wait Time—CJVI.  
World Affairs—CJR 9.15.

9.30—News—KJR.  
Western Trails—CJR.  
Orchestra—CJR.  
Song Time—KOMO.  
Freedom of Opportunity—KOL.  
Thin Man—KIRO.  
Familiar Melodies—CJVI.  
Crested—KJR 9.45.

10.00—News—KOMO, CJR, CJVI.  
News—CJR 10.10.  
Fulton Lewis Jr.—KOL.  
Singing Rings—CJR.  
The Movie—KJR.  
5-Star Final—KIRO.  
Dance—CJR 10.15.  
Kaltenborn—KOMO 10.15.  
Longshore—KJR 10.15.  
Listen to Liberty—CJVI 10.15.

10.30—Foreign Correspondent—KIRO.  
Orchestra—CJR.  
Spring Romance—KOMO.

11.00—Folk Music—KJR.  
Orchestra—CJR.  
News—KOMO, CJR, CJVI.  
News—CJR at 11.15.

**CJVI**  
Tonight's Highlights  
4.30—Mart Kenna  
7.00—The Fight Broadcast  
8.30—The Vancouver  
Playhouse  
9.00—Wait Time  
9.30—Cavalade of Familiar  
Melody  
10.30—Lois Brown and His  
Orchestra

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## One Woman's Day...

By NANCY HODGES

**IT LEAVES ME COLD!**  
TUESDAY WAS ONE of those hectic but interesting days which dot my calendar.

In the morning I canned peaches—large luscious ones from the Okanagan which are destined to mate with cottage cheese later on my menu.

In the early afternoon I went to an auction sale of antique furniture—and marvelled at the price some people are able to pay for imperfect bits of bric-a-brac.

From the heat of that crowded room, I went to the other extreme in temperature—at the B.C. Packers plant at Ogden Point. Where I received a warm welcome in the frigid atmosphere of this cold storage plant.

**STREAMLINED AND SPORTING**  
IN A LARGE SECTION we came across a group of women beheading and filleting salmon, destined for mild-curing in the salt which awaited the great pink fillets.

But it was the tuna fish which caught my eye, thousands of them just in from the fishing grounds about 125 miles off the Oregon coast.

It was my first acquaintance with tuna—except in tiny pieces in a can. And I had never before realized how streamlined they are. That is why they move at such a rate. The very large varieties can pull a boat along with ease—hence the popularity of tuna fishing with sportsmen.

I was also surprised to see how comparatively small our local variety is. I had envisioned them of the size of whales—suggested by pictures I have seen of tuna fishing in the south.

Those we get off the Pacific Northwest are albacore, a smaller variety which runs about the same size as our spring salmon.

**SEASON SHORT**  
THE SEASON is a comparatively short one, starting in July and running almost to the end of September.

But in that ten or eleven weeks, an awful lot of tuna meet their chilly fate. On Monday, the plant witnessed a record landing for this port—of 63,000 pounds of tuna, and 25,000 pounds of salmon. And, believe me, that is a lot of fish!

Another two and a half tons of tuna had just been landed by a little boat when we got there Tuesday afternoon.

Prices are good. The fishermen get \$429 a ton at present prices. And many of them make thousands of dollars during the season.

**EXPENSIVE TO BUY**  
I BEGAN to understand why tuna is so expensive to buy in the can when I learned that tuna that costs \$429 a ton "au naturel" costs about \$1,000 a ton in the can!

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Why? I asked. Because so little of the fish is edible. Only about three-fifths of it is in the form of the white meat—so like chicken in appearance and taste—which comes back to us in cans.

But the rest isn't wasted. It makes excellent food for mink. I saw great slabs of solidly frozen tuna and salmon offal ready to be turned—by Nature's processes—into sleek fur coats for glamorous ladies.

Speaking of freezing I almost joined the other frozen fish. For I went into the two refrigerating plants.

**BLIZZARD EFFECT**  
WHEN THE GREAT door of the "slew freezing" refrigerator opened I thought I had taken the wrong turning.

For, at first glance, it looked—and felt—as if we had landed at the North Pole in a blizzard.

Great icicles hung from the ceiling and kept breaking off in the form of powdery snow. Having only summer wear on, we said "Brrr!" and scurried along.

Past rows and rows and tiers and tiers, thousands upon thousands, of stiffly frozen tuna and salmon—heads all turned to us, so that we seemed to be followed by thousands of icy stares.

And, believe me, we didn't linger! Neither there, where the temperature was just below zero, nor in the fast freezing plant, where it gets down to 40 below overnight.

**MEANS BIG BUSINESS**  
THE TUNA IS "FROZEN" here, then sent to Oregon to be canned. But it spells potential big business for Victoria. For the plant employs about 80 ordinarily and far more at the peak of the salmon season.

And the fishing boats buy all their supplies here. A three-man boat spends between \$60 and \$70 in groceries alone for each trip.

Many of them have been doing so well that they want to buy homes here—and not shacks, at that!

But if Victoria wants to capitalize on the opportunity to establish and maintain a fishing industry here, it must first provide essential facilities.

**DOCKS BADLY NEEDED**  
FIRST AND FOREMOST needs a fisherman's wharf with ample docking space. On my way home I ran into a tuna fisherman who supported what I had learned at the plant.

"What we need is a floating dock like they have at Prince Rupert, which floats up and down with the tide. Here you tie up to anything you can get hold of and then risk your neck clambering up a rickety ladder."

So I hope some concerted effort will be made to get such a wharf and docking facilities here. Before this industry drifts away from us as others have in the past.

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## Today's Financial News, Quotations

## Toronto

## Industrials Gain, Mines Irregular

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Gains predominated in the utility, paper, steel, food and miscellaneous groups.

**Toronto Index:**  
20 Industrials 154.00, up 1.53  
20 Golds 128.15, up .36  
10 Base Metals 81.12, up .07  
15 Western Oils 28.27, up .14  
Total sales, 944,000.

| Stock           | Price   | Change |
|-----------------|---------|--------|
| Aluminum Ltd.   | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
| Beatty Bros. A. | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
| Beatty Bros. B. | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
| Bell Telephone  | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
| B. & N. A.      | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
| B. & N. B.      | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
| B. & N. C.      | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
| B. & N. D.      | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
| B. & N. E.      | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
| B. & N. F.      | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
| B. & N. G.      | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
| B. & N. H.      | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
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| B. & N. S.      | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
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| Canadian Bank of Commerce | 103 1/2 | 1/2    |
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